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WITH

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By HENRY BANYER, Surgeon.

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THE
PREFACE.

THE *former Edition of this ſmall Book having been favourably received, I am encouraged to add a farther Collection of Receipts, which are ſuch as may very properly come under the Title of a* Pharmacopœia Pauperum, *being no way inferior to the others, either for Cheapneſs or Efficacy.*

The Method I have taken in explaining the Vertues and Uſes of each Preſcription, cannot, I hope, give any juſt Offence to the ingenious Compoſers thereof, who, as they deſigned them for the Publick Good, will by this Means have the Satisfaction of ſeeing them drawn out into a more general Practice; and as for any Cavils which may

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be raiſed by thoſe who are for preſerving the ſame Narrowneſs of Principles in Phyſick, as ſome of our modern Chriſtians would do in Religion, I am under no Concern for them; and ſhall only add, that having heard ſome Diſtaſte has been given by my prefixing the Names of ſome of our moſt eminent Phyſicians to the former Edition, I have avoided it in this; as I would do every Thing that carries the leaſt Appearance of Diſreſpect to thoſe worthy Gentlemen, who are deſervedly an Honour to the Faculty.

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Pharmacopœia Pauperum:

OR, THE

HOSPITAL *Diſpenſatory.*

THE Waters moſt commonly in Uſe in the publick Hoſpitals, are the

Aqua Lactis Alex.
—— *Ceraſor. Nigr.*
—— *Cinnam. fort.*
—— —— *Hord.*
—— *Menthæ.*
—— *Pulegii.*
—— *Rutæ.*
—— *Epidemiæ.*
—— *Bryoniæ Comp.*
—— *Stephani.*
—— *Theriacalis.*

And all made exactly as directed by the *London Diſpenſatory*, and uſed for the ſame Purpoſes.

Aqua Hæmoptoica. Dr. Chriſt. Bennet.

℞ *Fol. Symphit. Maj.*
Polygonat.
Plantag.
Pimpinel. ā *M.* iv.
Rad. Liquirit. ℥ ij.
Infundantur frigide per 12 *Dies in Aq. Calcis Cong.* ij.

A Water againſt Spitting of Blood, from Dr. Chriſt. Bennet.

Take Leaves of Comfrey the Greater, *Solomon*'s Seal, Plantane, and Pimpinel, each 4 Handsful, Liquorice-Root 2 Ounces; infuſe them cold for 12 Days in 2 Gallons of Lime-water.

This is very eaſily made, and is much better than if it were to be diſtilled. It is of excellent Uſe in ſuch Conſumptions as proceed from a ſharp thin Blood, as particularly in an Hæmoptoe, or Spitting of Blood, or making bloody Water; it is ordered to be drank for ſome Time together: *vid.* Dr. *Chriſt. Bennet, Theatr. Tabidor,* who ſays, that ſix Ounces of this drank

for

for 4 or 5 Mornings together, hardly fails of Succeſs for Spitting of Blood.

Aqua Liberans.

℞ *Raſur. Lig. Saſſafr. ſine Cortice* ℥ ij.
Lig. Guiac. cum Cortice ℥ j.
Rad. Glycirrh. ℥ iij.
Sem. Coriand. cont. ʒ vj.
Infund. frigidè in Aq. Calcis. Cong. j. *per* 2 *aut* 3 *Dies.*

Take of the Shavings of Saſſafras without the Bark 2 Ounces, of Guiacum with the Bark 1 Ounce, Liquorice-Root 3 Ounces, Coriander-Seeds bruiſed 6 Drams; infuſe them cold in one Gallon of Lime-water for 2 or 3 Days.

This is yet more drying than the former, and is therefore good in all Caſes that require Abſorbents and Sweetners, eſpecially in all Venereal Affections, after Salivation. It will aſſiſt much likewiſe in the Itch, and all Foulneſſes which lodge upon the Skin. This as well as the former is of Service in a Diabetes. It may be drank at Diſcretion, and ought to be uſed for ſome Time together.

Aqua Limacum.

℞ *Limac. Hortenſ. depur. & contuſ. Cong.* vj.
Lumbric. depur. & contuſ. Cong. iij.
Fol. Abſynth. vulg.
Heder. ter.
Card. Ben. ã ℔ i ſs.
Pulegii,
Bac. Juniper,
Sem. Fœnic. dul.
Aniſi ã ℔ ſs.
Caryoph.
Cubeb. contuſ. ã ʒ iij.
Sp. Vini, &
Aq. Fontan. ã *Cong.* viij.
Macer. per Hor. 24. *& diſtill. in Alembico.*

Snail-Water.

Take Garden-Snails cleanſed and bruiſed 6 Gallons, Earth-worms waſhed and bruiſed 3 Gallons, of common Wormwood, Ground-Ivy, and Carduus, each one Pound and an half, Penniroyal, Juniper-Berries, Fennel-ſeeds, Aniſeeds, each half a Pound, Cloves and Cubebs bruiſed, each 3 Ounces, Spirit of Wine, and Spring-water, of each 8 Gallons; digeſt them together for the Space of 24 Hours, and then draw it off in a common Alembick.

This

This is admirably well contrived both for Cheapneſs and Efficacy; and for Perſons whoſe Circumſtances and Manner of living have not habituated them to any Delicacies, it is as good a Snail-water as can be made; and with the two former, are the chief that are uſed in the Hoſpitals. And as they are moſtly given in Conſumptions contracted from vicious Practices, and Venereal Contagions, this is the conſtant Drink of thoſe who are under the like Weakneſſes and Decays from a *malum ſtamen*, and require principally Nouriſhment from ſuch Subſtances as will, with the leaſt Trouble poſſible, be aſſimulated for that Purpoſe.

Aqua ad Strumas.

℞ *Rad. Oxylapath.* ℔ ſs.
Rhabarb. Monach. ℥ iv.
Agaric. ℥ ij.
Liquirit.
Sem. Fænicul. dul.
Coriand. ā ℥ ſs.
Coq. in Aq. fontan. q. ſ. colat. adde Antimon. Diaph. illoti ℥ ij.

A Water for the Evil.

Take ſharp-pointed Dock-Roots half a Pound, Monks Rhubarb 4 Ounces, Agaric

2 Ounces, Liquorice, Sweet-Fennel, and Coriander-ſeeds, each half an Ounce; boil in a ſufficient Quantity of Spring Water, and to the ſtrained Liquor add 2 Ounces of Diaphoretic Antimony.

This is much uſed in ſcrophulous Caſes, as a Diet-Drink, and has been found of good Service; but at the firſt, ſometimes the *Diaphoretic Antimony* being unwaſhed, it proves Emetick, tho' without any Inconveniency upon that Account; the Points of the Medicine being left groſs enough to vellicate and draw the Stomach into ſuch Contractions. This alſo avails conſiderably in Venereal and Leprous Impurities. Its Operation is principally expected from its encreaſing of natural Perſpiration, and gently ſcouring all the ſecretory Paſſages.

Aqua Theriacalis.

℞ *Suc. Putam. Virid. Nucum Jugland.* ℔ xij.
Suc. Rutæ ℔ ix.
Cardui Ben.
Calend.
Meliſſ. ā ℔ vj.
Rad. recent. Petaſitidis ℔ iv. ſs.
Bardan. ℔ iij.
Angel.
Imperat. ā ℔ j ſs.
Scordii M. xij.

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Theriac. Londinenſ. ℔ j. ſs.
Philon. Rom. ℔ j.
Spirit. Vin. com. ℔ xxx. ℥ vj.
Miſc. & diſtill. S. A.

Treacle Water.

Take of the Juice of green Walnuts 12 Pound, of Rue 9 Pound, of Carduus, Marigolds, and Balm, each 6 Pound, of Butter-Bur-Root freſh gathered 4 Pound and half, Burdock 3 Pound, Angelico and Maſterwort each 1 Pound and half, of Scordium 12 Hands-full, *London* Treacle 1 Pound and half, Philon. Perſic. 1 Pound, Spirit of Wine 30 Pints and 6 Ounces; mix and diſtil according to Art.

This is a very good Water, and warmer than the *College* Treacle-water. It is given as a Cordial in any Fainting or Gripes, eſpecially in thoſe which frequently happen in raiſing a Salivation.

In the *Lock*, *Kingsland* Hoſpitals, they generally ſalivate by Unction, and it has been obſerved, that the *Lues*, and many Caſes which would not give way to a Salivation raiſed by inward Means, have been overcome by this; Nay, it has been obſerved, that ſome Perſons have been ſo emaciated by the Diſtemper, that they have appeared to be nothing but Skin and Bone,

yet by Unction have had a kind Salivation, and have to a Wonder recover'd their Fleſh, and grown perfectly fat; but obſerve in ſuch Habits to begin with very little Medicine, even to a Scruple of the *Mercury* is ſufficient at a Time, and that to be rub'd in perhaps but every other Night; and again, it is ſometimes very neceſſary, before we uſe the Unction, to nouriſh the Perſon with a Milk Diet, and Broths: *vid. Ung. Cæruleum.*

Alcohol Chalybis.

℞ *Limatur. Chalybis puriſſ.* ℥ iij.
Sachar. Cand. rub. ℥ ij.
Terentur ſimul in Alcohol.

Powder of Steel.

Take of the fineſt Steel 3 Ounces, red Sugar-candy 2 Ounces; let them be reduced together into a fine Powder.

This is a very plain, eaſy, and moſt natural Preparation of Steel, and is render'd fit thereby to be taken either in Subſtance, or to communicate its Virtues to any Liquor by Infuſion. It comes neareſt to the common Preparation of Steel with Tartar; and has the ſame Qualities of a Deobſtruent. Its uſual Doſe is from ℈ j. to ʒ ſs.

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in a *Chloroſis*, and all menſtrual Obſtructions. It is likewiſe a good Medicine in all Hypochondriacal Affections; but as the Cure of ſuch Patients conſiſts generally more in their way of Living, than in Medicine, an Hoſpital cares not for the Admiſſion of ſuch Invalids.

Balſam. Lucatelli.

℞ Ol. Olivar. opt.
Terebinth. Ven. ā ℔ iv.
Ceræ flavæ tenuitèr inciſæ. ℔ ij. ſs.
Liqueſcant ſimul addendo ſang. Draconis ſubtiliſſ. pulv. ℥ ij. *miſc. ut f. Balſamum rubicundiſſimum.*

Lucatellus's *Balſam.*

Take of fine Oil of Olives and *Venice*-Turpentine each 4 Pounds, yellow Wax cut thin 2 Pounds and half; melt them together, and add Dragons-Blood in fine Powder 2 Ounces, and mix it into a red Balſam.

This is much better than that of the *College* Diſpenſatory, though much cheaper and eaſier made. The Dragons-blood gives a much better Colour than the Saunders, which is in the other; and if either have any Virtues ſuitable to the whole, this bids the faireſt; and will alſo much better mix

therewith, becauſe it in a Manner diſſolves in the Oil. It is uſed both inwardly, in all Suſpicions of internal Ulcerations, and externally as a Digeſtive.

Balſam. Sulphur. Terebinth. is much uſed in St. *Thomas*'s Hoſpital, as it is directed to be made in *Bate*'s Diſpenſatory, both internally, and in Dreſſings for the ſame Purpoſe, as it is directed by the common Practice. Being applied to painful Piles, it gives Eaſe beyond any other Remedy, either by its ſelf, or mixt with Ung. Populn; and for all Wounds of the nervous and tendinous Parts being applied hot it is excellent.

Balſam. Viride.

℞ *Ol. Lin.* ℔ iv.
Æris Virid. purific. & pulver. ℥ ij.
Bulliant ſimul ad diſſolutionem Ærugin. & f. Balſ. viride.

The green Balſam.

Take Linſeed Oil 4 Pounds, of the fineſt Verdigreaſe Two Ounces; boil them together till the Verdigreaſe is diſſolved, and it will incorporate together into a green Balſam.

This is of great Uſe in all contuſed and lacerated Wounds, and likewiſe in Gunſhot

ſhot Wounds, there is nothing that exceeds it; and this is what Mr. *Madlens* the Surgeon us'd when he cut for the Stone. And the ſame (I am inform'd) the late moſt expert and ſucceſsful Lythotomiſt Mr. *Salter*, did always uſe to ſuch Patients, tho' he ſometimes mixed with it *Balſ. Terebinth.* or *Linimentum Arcei.*

Bolus Alexiter.

℞ *Theriac. Androm.*
Pulv. Alexit. ā ℈ j.
Syr. Caryoph. q. ſ. ut f. *Bol.*

An Alexiterial Bole.

Take *Venice* Treacle, and of the Alexiterial Powder, each one Scruple, Syrup of Cloves a ſufficient Quantity to make into a Bole.

This is frequently directed to be taken, in order to compoſe and breath a Perſon after Amputation, or any other Operation which is attended with extreme Pain, and threatens a Fever; and is repeated as often as Occaſion requires, drinking after it proper Juleps.

Bolus cum Calomel.

℞ *Calomel. opt. levigat.*
Conſ. Roſ. rub. ā ℈ j.
Miſc. f. Bolus.

A Bole with Calomel.

Take Calomel well levigated one Scruple, Conſerve of Roſes half a Scruple; mix into a Bole.

This is the common Bole given for a Salivation, and which is repeated as the Symptoms require. It is alſo given frequently over Night, to be carried off by the common Catharticks the next Morning, in any Caſes that require brisk Purging.

Bolus Emeticus.

℞ *Antimonii reſuſcitat. Batean. Gr.* vij.
Conſ. Roſ. rub. q. ſ. f. Bol.

An Emetick Bole.

Take of revived Antimony, according to *Bates*, 7 Grains, Conſerve of red Roſes a ſufficient Quantity to make it into a Bole.

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In very groſs and robuſt Conſtitutions this is given preparatory to any Courſe of Alteratives; for ſometimes it will work with great Violence, inſomuch as to render it unſafe to infirm and weakly Perſons.

Bolus Emeticus Mercurialis.

℞ *Turpeth. Min. opt. lævig. Gr.* vij.
Conſ. Roſ. rub. q. ſ. f. Bol.

An Emetick Mercurial Bole.

Take of Turbith Mineral well levigated 7 Grains, Conſerve of red Roſes a ſufficient Quantity to make into a Bole.

This is as rough as the former, but is generally made Choice of in Venereal and Leprous Caſes, preparatory to Salivation; and is likewiſe ſometimes directed where no ſuch Courſe is intended, particularly in foul Ulcers of long ſtanding; the cleanſing and laſting Cure of which its Operation does much forward: But this is too churliſh to be given but to athletick Conſtitutions.

Bolus

Bolus Camphoratus.

℞ *Camph.* ʒ ſs.
Gum. Arab. ℈j.
Terebi. è Chio. Gr. xv.
Syr. è mecon. q. ſ. f. Bol.

The Camphorated Bolus.

Take Camphire half a Dram, Gum Arabick one Scruple, *Chio* Turpentine 15 Grains, Syrup of Meconium a ſufficient Quantity to make into a Bolus.

Of great Uſe for a Difury or Heat of Urine, eſpecially if occaſioned from the Application of Epiſpaſticks.

Bolus Hydropicus.

℞ *Gambog. Pulv. Gr.* xv.
Cremor. Tartari ℈ſs.
Syr. è Spin. C. q. ſ. f. Bolus.

An Hydropick Bole.

Take Gamboge 15 Grains, Cream of Tartar half a Scruple, Syrup of Buckthorn a ſufficient Quantity to make them into a Bole.

In

In a Dropſie, or a flaccid moiſt Habit tending thereunto, this is a very common Purge, and a very good one. The Gamboge it ſelf is indeed very rough, and works ſometimes with great Nauſeouſneſs, Vomiting and Griping; but the Tartar much corrects it, by dividing its viſcid Parts, and making them leſs ſenſibly vellicate the Coats of the Stomach and Bowels, as all reſinous Purges are apt to do. It has ſometimes alſo mixed with it a Drop or two of Oil of Aniſeed, or any other of the carminitive Oils, to render it leſs griping. This thoroughly purges off watry and viſcous Humours, and greatly promotes the Diſcharge by Urine. But to render the Cure of a Dropſie laſting, there is a Neceſſity afterwards of reſtoring and ſtrengthening the Tone of the Parts by proper Medicines for ſuch Purpoſes, elſe they will ſoon fill again with as much Water as this has carried away.

Bolus Mercurialis Purgat.

℞ *Elect. Lenitiv.* ℔ ſs.
Pulv. Rad. Jallapi ℥ j. ſs.
Scammon. ʒ vj.
Calomel ʒ ſs.
Syr. Roſ. ſolutiv. q. ſ. ad Boli conſiſtentiam.
Doſ. ʒ iij. *mane.*

A

A Purging Mercurial Bole.

Take of Lenitive Electuary half a Pound, Jallap Root powdered one Ounce and half, Scammony 6 Drams, Calomel half an Ounce, the ſolutive Syrup of Roſes a ſufficient Quantity to make them into the Conſiſtence of a Bole. The Doſe is 3 Drams in a Morning.

This is a ſure Purge, and will not fail working in the ſtrongeſt Conſtitutions. It is adviſable in all Caſes whatſoever as want ſuch Evacuation. It muſt be made pretty ſtiff, elſe the Calomel will be apt to fall by its great Weight, whereby it will be unequally mixed; and in hot Weather alſo it will be apt to fret and ſpoil, if made up too thin.

Bolus ad Diarrhœam.

℞ *Rhabarb. opt. pulv.* ʒ ſs.
Confect. Fracaſtorii *ſine Melle*, *q. ſ. ut f. Bolus.*

A Bole againſt a Looſeneſs.

Take Powder of the fineſt Rhubarb half a Dram, Diaſcordium without Honey, a ſufficient Quantity to make it into a Bole.

This

This is to be given in any Fluxes of the Belly that require to be ſtopped, as often as the Urgency of the Symptoms indicate; but it is generally directed only at Night going to Bed; for the Opiate confines the Rhubarb from immediate Operation, and what Effect that has, is only juſt to cleanſe off ſo much Choler, or irritating Humours, as it finds already ſeparated by the inteſtinal Glands; and it then ſo aſtringes them, as to prevent any further Flux of that kind upon them. This Bolus is alſo frequently given to compoſe and reſettle the Bowels, after the Operation of ſuch ſtrong Catharticks as cannot well be born without ſuch a Reſtorative.

Bolus Mercurialis cum Gambog.

℞ *Elect. Lenitiv.* ℔ j.
Calomelan.
Gambog. pul. ã ℥ ij. ʒj.
Syr. e Spin. C. q. ſ. ad Boli conſiſtentiam;
Addendo Ol. Aniſ. ʒ j. ſs. *Doſis* ʒ j.

A Mercurial Bole with Gamboge.

Take Lenitive Electuary 1 Pound, Calomel and Gamboge in fine Powder each 2 Ounces and 1 Dram, Syrup of Buckthorn a ſufficient Quantity to make them into the

the Conſiſtence of a Bole; to which add Oil of Aniſeeds 1 Dram and half. The Doſe is 2 Drams.

This is ſtronger than the foregoing with the Jallap; and is directed accordingly where the moſt powerful Catharticks are required, and can be born without Inconveniency.

Bolus Diureticum.

℞ *Scillæ* ℥ j.
Helleniii pulv. ℥ ſs.
Ol. Aniſ. Chym. ʒ ſs.
Doſis ʒ j. *bis in die.*

Diuretick Bole.

Take Squills 1 Ounce, Powder of Elicampane half an Ounce, Oil of Aniſeed half a Dram. The Doſe is one Dram twice in a Day.

In Aſthmatick and Dropſical Habits, this is an admirable Medicine; for it greatly ſcours away thoſe Viſcidities which ſtuff the Veſſels, and hinder due Circulation, and detaches them off by the Kidnies. But its Uſe is to be comply'd with for ſome Time together; and if ſo continued, the

the moſt obſtinate Obſtructions of the ſmall Veſſels, that cauſe both Dropſies and Aſthma's, will give Way to its Efficacy.

Cataplaſma pro Bubone Peſtilen. & Carbunculo.

℞ *Cepar. Maj.*
Allii, ā ℥ iij.
Pulv. Cantharid. ʒ j.
Sem. Senapios pulv.
Theriac. Lond.
Mithrid.
Fimi Columbini, ā ʒ j.
Ol. Scorpionum q. ſ. ut f. Cataplaſma debit. conſiſtent.

A Cataplaſm for Buboes or Carbuncles.

Take of the larger Onions, and of Garlick, each 3 Ounces, Powder of *Spaniſh* Flies 1 Dram, Muſtard-ſeed powder'd, *London* Treacle, Mithridate, and Pigeons-Dung, each 1 Ounce, Oil of Scorpions a ſufficient Quantity to make into a Poultis.

The Caſes this is intended for, happen not frequently in the Hoſpitals : But when any Humours are critically diſcharged in malignant Fevers, which are ſometimes attended with very ſurprizing Symptoms, this is

is a good Medicine both to help on their Diſcharge, and defend the Part againſt Mortifications and Gangrenes, which frequently happen in ſuch Caſes. In confirm'd Dropſies likewiſe, where the lower Parts have received more Water than can be carried off by the common Evacuations, and the Legs are forced to be ſcarrify'd, this is of good Service both to prevent a Mortification, and forward the Drain of ſuch Humours; inſomuch that the Tone of a Part is ſometimes retrieved by this Means, which would otherwiſe, from a partial Mortification, induce a total one. But obſerve to foment the Part very well, otherwiſe a Mortification will enſue, tho' the Water is let out; and to prevent the Scarrification from healing too ſoon, apply over them a Stupe wrung out of the warm Fomentation.

Cataplaſma Iſchiad.

℞ *Sem. Sinap.* ℔ ſs.
Pip. alb.
Rad. ZZ. ā ℥ j.
Miſc. f. pulvis, Vaſe vitreo optime clauſo ſervat. qui tempore uſus form. in conſiſtentiam Cataplaſm. cum Oxymel. ſimpl. q. ſ.

A Cataplaſm for the Hip-Gout.

Take Muſtard-ſeed powder'd half a Pound, white Pepper and Ginger each 1 Ounce; mix together in a fine Powder, and keep in a Glaſs cloſe ſtopped, and juſt at the Time of uſing, make into a Poultus, with a ſufficient Quantity of Oxymel of Squils.

This is a very warm Application, and will therefore ſometimes help to break away thoſe Humours which fix upon the Joints, occaſioning there intolerable Pains, and which will not give way to any other Means. It is to be applied as often as the Symptoms and Urgency of Pain require, and the Part can bear; for it is ſo hot as frequently to veſicate the Skin; but it then generally has the beſt Effect, the Pain moſt commonly abating upon drawing out by Perſpiration ſuch Humours, as will raiſe a Dew upon the Skin, and ſometimes lift it up into little Bliſters; but in ſuch Caſes all the Harm is the Trouble.

Cataplaſma pro Inflammatione.

℞ *Farina avenac.* ℔ ſs.
Herb. urtic. M. iv.
Cera flava, ℔ j. ſs.
Miſce ſuper ignem.

A Cataplaſm for an Inflammation.

Take of Oatmeal half a Pound, of Nettles 4 Handsful, yellow Wax one Pound and half; mix them together over the Fire.

This is directed for eryſipelous Tumors, and ordinary Inflammations; but is not frequently call'd for.

Cerevisia Hydropica.

℞ *Summit. Geniſt.*
Sem. Sinap. ā ℔ j.
Rad. Irrid. noſtr.
Lapath. acut. ā ℥ xij.
Cort. Winteran.
Sambuci.
Sem. Dauci ſylv.
Baccar. Juniperi, ā ℔ j ſs.
Miſc. f. ſacculus pro Cong. xij. *Cerevisia fort. non lupulat. Doſ.* ℔ ſs. *bis vel ter. in die.*

A

A Dyet-drink for a Dropſie.

Take of Broom-tops and Muſtard-ſeed, each 1 Pound, of the Roots of *Engliſh* Orrice, and ſharp-pointed Dock, each 12 Ounces, *Winter's* Bark, Elder-Bark, Seeds of wild Carrot, and Juniper-berries, each 1 Pound and half; put them all together into a Bag, to be ſteep'd in 12 Gallons of unhopp'd Ale, while it works; half a Pint to be drank 2 or 3 Times in a Day.

This is of good Uſe to abſorb and dry up the remaining Moiſtures and watry Humours which the ordinary Catharticks leave behind; and will make the Cure laſting, which otherwiſe would be but ſhort. In all ſcorbutick Habits likewiſe, eſpecially where the Extreams tend towards too great a Fulneſs and Corpulency, this is of real Service, if the Patients are kept to it for ſome Time together. In all Tendencies likewiſe towards a Palſie it does much good, both by drying away watery and ſloughy Humours, which deſtroy due Senſation, and by giving Warmth and Briskneſs to the Juices.

Con-

Confectio Fracaſtorii.

Ut in Pharmacopœia Londinenſi; ſed in loco Mellis præparand. cum Syr. è Meconio.

Fracaſtorius's *Confection.*

This is the ſame as the common Diaſcordium of the *College*; only inſtead of Honey there is uſed the Syrup of Diacodium.

This is given about a Dram in a Doſe in ordinary Fluxes of the Belly, and as an Opiate to compoſe the Bowels after ſtrong Purging; or wherefoever Opiates are requiſite, and nothing forbids aſtringing at the ſame Time.

Decoctum Album.

℞ *C. C. C. albiſs.* ℔ ſs.
Gum. Arabic. ℥ ij.
f. Pul. ſubtiliſ. cui affunde
Aquæ bullient, Cong. j.
Tum adde
Aquæ Cinnam. fort. ℔ ſs.
Et addend.
Rad. Tormentil. ℥ iv.
Cort. Granatör. ℥ ij.
Inter Coquend. tunc dicitur, Dec. Aſtringens.

The

The White Drink.

Take of the whiteſt burnt Hartſhorn half a Pound, of Gum Arabic 2 Ounces; reduce them into a Powder, and pour upon them 1 Gallon of boiling Water; to which add ſtrong Cinnamon-Water half a Pint; and if further be added of Tormentil Roots 4 Ounces, and 2 Ounces of Pomegranate-*Peels* in the boiling, it is then called, *The Reſtringent Decoction.*

This is conſtantly made in large Quantities, and given as a common Drink in all kinds of Fluxes. It is likewiſe the common Drink for Perſons under Salivation, eſpecially while the Spitting is raiſing; and in Fevers, Small-pox, or Meaſles, where a Looſeneſs is to be guarded againſt.

Decoct. Hydropicum.

℞ *Infuſion. Paralytic.*
Decoct. Scorbut. ā ℔ j.
Miſce.

The Hydropick Diet-Drink.

Take of the Paralytick Infuſion, and of the Scorbutick Decoction, each 1 Pint, and mix for Uſe.

The Virtue and Uſe of this may be known by its Title; but beſt by the reſpective Ingredients, to be met with in their proper Places. The Doſe 10 Ounces, twice a Day.

Decoctum Ictericum.

℞ *Rad. Curcumæ.*
Rub. Tinctor. ā ℥ j.
Fol. Chelid. cum floribus;
Hyperic. ā M j.
Coq. in aq. fontan. q. ſ. ad ℔ ij. *Colat. adde Syr. e* 5 *radicibus* ℥ ij. *Miſc. Doſis* ℔ ſs. *bis in die.*

A Decoction for the Jaundice.

Take of Turmerick Root, and of Madder Root, each 1 Ounce, Leaves of Celandine with the Flowers, and of St. *John*'s wort, each 1 Handful; boil them in Spring-water a ſufficient Quantity to 2 Pints: To the ſtrained Liquor add Syrup of the 5 Opening Roots 2 Ounces, and mix for Uſe. The Doſe is half a Pint twice in a Day.

This is directed for all in the Jaundice, or in any Scorbutick Habit of Body, either tending that way, or to Dropſies.

Decoctum

Decoctum Carminativum.

℞ *Fol. Mercurialis;*
Parietariæ;
Meliloti, ā M j.
Sem. Lini;
——— *Aniſi, contuſ.* ā ℥ j.
Flor. Chamæm. M j.
Coq. in Aq. fontan. q. ſ. ad ℥ xij. *col. ad uſum.*

The Carminative Decoction.

Take of Mercury Leaves, Pellitory of the Wall, and Melilot, each 1 Handful, Linſeed and Aniſeed bruiſed each 1 Ounce, Chamomile Flowers 1 Handful; boil in a ſufficient Quantity of Spring-water to 12 Ounces, and ſtrain out the Liquor for Uſe.

This is the common Clyſter-Decoction, and is uſed on no other Account.

Decoctum Scorbuticum.

℞ *Fol. Abſynth. Vulg.*
———— *Rom.* ā M j.
Agrimon.
Cardui Ben.
Sumit. Centaur. Min. ā M ij.
Rad. Gentian. inciſ. ℥ j.
Raphani ruſtic. ℥ ij.
Coq. in aq. font. q. ſ. ad ℔ vj. *Colat. pro uſu add. flor. Cham.* M j.

The Scorbutick Decoction.

Take of common and Roman Wormwood each 1 Handful, Agrimony, Carduus, and the Tops of Centaury the leſſer, of each 2 Handsful, of Gentian Root ſliced 1 Ounce, Horſe Radiſh 2 Ounces; boil them in a ſufficient Quantity of Spring-water to 6 Pints, and in the ſtrained Liquor infuſe 1 Handful of Chamomel-flowers for Uſe.

This is one of the Ingredients of the *Decoctum Hydropicum* above; and in Dropſies comes into Uſe after the Load of Humours has been forced off by Purges, and the more powerful Diureticks; becauſe it confirms the Tone of the Fibres, and prevents a Relapſe. It alſo gives ſuch Strength to the Stomach, as

as to procure a good Appetite, and help Digeſtion; whereby ſo many crude Humours are not ſupply'd to the Blood, as to fill the ſmall Glands, and to produce the moſt remarkable Symptoms of the Scurvy.

Decoctum Dieteticum.

℞ *Lig. Guaiac.*
Scobis ejuſdem, ā ℔ j.
Rad Liquirit. ℥ xij.
Sem. Coriandri, ℥ ij.
Coq. in aq. fontan. Cong. vj. *ad Cong.* iv: *ſed inter coquend. adde Rad. Mezærei* ℥ ij.

The Dietetick Decoction.

Take of Guaiacum-wood and Bark, each 1 Pound, Liquorice Root 12 Ounces, Coriander-ſeed bruiſed 2 Ounces; boil them in 6 Gallons of Spring-water to 4 Gallons; but while it is boiling add 2 Ounces of Mezereon Root.

This is uſed as an ordinary Sweetner in any Courſe of Alteratives, and likewiſe for all ſtubborn cutaneous Eruptions and ſcrophulous Swellings, Leproſies, and pocky Tettars. It is much like the Diet-Drink that the famous Dr. *Wall* cur'd his Venereal Patients with; and the great Succeſs

from it is owing to the Mezereon Root, which he highly extols in this Diſtemper.

Decoctum Traumaticum.

℞ *Fol. Heder. ter.*
Scabioſ.
Tuſſilag. ā M ij.
Hyſſopi M j.
Rad. Enulæ ℥ j.
Liquirit. ℥ iv.
Fol. Agrimoniæ M j.
Coq. in aq. fontan. q. ſ. ad. colat. Cong. j.
Doſis ℥ iv. *ad libitum.*

The Traumatick Decoction.

Take of Ground Ivy, Scabious, and Colts-foot, each 2 Handfuls, Hyſſop 1 Handful, Elicampane Root 1 Ounce, Liquorice 4 Ounces, Agrimony 4 Handfuls; boil them together in a ſufficient Quantity of common Water to 1 Gallon. The Doſe is 4 Ounces at Diſcretion.

This is more pectoral than the former, and is directed in all Diſtempers and Decays of the Lungs, or any of the *Viſcera*, and uſed as a common Drink.

Decoctum Pſoricum.

℞ *Fol. Jacobaea, Fumaria,* ā M iij.
Rad. Glycyrrhiz. ℥ j.
Coq. in Aq. font. ℔ vj. *ad* ℔ iij. *vel doſ.* ℥ vj. *bis de die.*

A Decoction againſt the Itch.

Take of the Leaves of Rag-wort and Fumitary, of each 3 Handfuls, Liquorice Root 1 Ounce; boil them in 6 Pints of Water to 3 Pints, and drink 6 Ounces twice in a Day.

This is to be depended upon for a good Cleanſer of the Blood, and proper in all Scorbutick Habits; but it is too bitter to be grateful to moſt Perſons.

Decoct. ad fluorem Alb.

℞ *Lact. Vaccin. rec.* ℥ viij.
Fol. Lamii M j.
Cinnamon. ʒ j.
Coq. & bib. ℥ iv. *omni mane veſperi.*

A Decoction for the Whites.

Take Cows Milk 8 Ounces, and boil in it one Handful of Arch-Angel Flowers, and one Dram of Cinnamon; take 4 Ounces every Morning and Night.

This is a Medicine eaſy to be practiſed, but cannot be depended upon in Caſes of Difficulty.

Decoctum Senæ.

℞ *Senæ Alex.* ℥ ij.
Rad. Glycyrrhizæ ℥ j.
Caſſiæ fract. ℥ iij.
Crem. Tar. ʒ j.
Coq. in aq. fontan. q. ſ. ad ℔ ij. *Doſis* ℥ iij. *vel* ℥ iv. *cum Syr. de Spin. Cer. q. v.*

A Decoction of Sena.

Take of *Alexandrian* Sena 2 Ounces, Liquorice Root 1 Ounce, Caſſia broken 3 Ounces, Cream of Tartar 1 Dram; boil in a ſufficient Quantity of Spring-water to 2 Pints: The Doſe is 3 or 4 Ounces, with a ſufficient Quantity of Syrup of Buckthorn.

This

This is the ordinary Purge for tender Patients, becauſe it works very mildly, if there be not too much of the Syrup of Buckthorn put to a Doſe. Two or three Drams is generally the Quantity made Uſe of.

Decoctum Amarum
——— *Pectorale.*

The Bitter and
— *Pectoral Decoction.*

Both theſe are made as directed in the *London Diſpenſatory*, and are uſed in the ſame Manner as ordered in the common Practice.

Electuarium Aſtringens.

℞ *Conſ. Roſar. rub.* ℔ j.
Terræ Japonicæ ℥ iv.
Alum. Plumoſ.
Elixir Vitrioli ã ℥ j.
Syr. Cydonior. q. ſ. f. Elect.

An Aſtringent Electuary.

Take of Conſerve of red Roſes 1 Pound, *Japan* Earth 4 Ounces, Earth-flax 1 Ounce, Elixir of Vitriol 1 Ounce, Syrup of Quinces a ſufficient Quantity to make it into a due Conſiſtence for an Electuary.

This is directed in the moſt obſtinate Fluxes of the Belly; to be taken the Quantity of a Nutmeg 2 or 3 Times in a Day, or oftner if there be Occaſion.

Electuariam Acidum.

℞ *Conſ. Lujulæ* ℥ iv.
Crem. Tartar. ʒ vj.
Tart. Vitriol. ʒ ij.
Syr. e Succo Lujulæ q. ſ. ut f. Electuarium.

The Acid Electuary.

Take Conſerve of Wood-ſorrel 4 Ounces, Cream of Tartar 6 Drams, Vitriolated Tartar 2 Drams, Syrup of the Juice of Wood-ſorrel a ſufficient Quantity to make into an Electuary.

This is given in the Jaundice, and in all Diſorders that are ſuſpected to ariſe from too great a Mixture of Choler, and ſuch like

like aduſt Humours. The Quantity of a Nutmeg to be taken 2 or 3 Times in a Day. It is alſo Diuretick, and frequently preſcribed in Obſtructions of the Urinary Paſſages, whether they be from Gravel or ſloughy Humours.

Elect. Balſamicum.

℞ *Balſam.* Lucatelli ℔ j.
Sacchar. rub. Cand. ℔ ſs.
Syr. Balſ. q. ſ. ut f. Elect.

The Balſamick Electuary.

Take of *Lucatellus*'s Balſam 1 Pound, red Sugar-candy half a Pound, Syrup of Balſam a ſufficient Quantity to make into an Electuary.

This is given in Diſtempers of the Breaſt and Lungs, and in all Suſpicions of inward Ulcerations, as alſo upon any accidental Bruiſes; the Quantity of a Nutmeg 2 or 3 Times in a Day, with a Draught of the Traumatick, or Pectoral Decoction after each Doſe.

Electuarium Chalybeatum.

℞ *Conſerv. Abſynth. Rom.* ℥ ij.
Zinzib. Cand. ℥ ij.
Scob. Chalybis ℔ ſs.
Syr. Chalyb. q. ſ. ut f. Elect.

The Steel Electuary.

Take of Conſerve of Roman Wormwood 1 Pound, of candy'd Ginger 2 Ounces, Powder of Steel half a Pound, Syrup of Steel a ſufficient Quantity to make into an Electuary.

This is directed in a *Chloroſis*, and all menſtrual Obſtructions: Likewiſe in all Decays of Conſtitution that have been occaſioned either by acute Diſtempers, or the Severity of Cure from ſome Chronick Caſes. For it greatly warms the Blood, and gives new Life and Vigour to the Juices. Its Quantity is about a Dram, or the Bigneſs of a Nutmeg, to be taken 2 or 3 Times in a Day. Exerciſe, as walking about, is as much ordered as is convenient with the Condition and Circumſtances of a Patient in the Uſe of it, becauſe it greatly aſſiſts its Operation.

Electuarium Scorbuticum.

℞ *Conſ. Cochlear. hortenſ.*
Sambuci, ā ℥ iv.
Rad. Ari. Sicc.
Milleped. prap. ā ℥ j.
Cort. Winteran. pulv. ʒ ij.
Syr. Sambuci q. ſ. ut f. Elect.

A Scorbutick Electuary.

Take of the Conſerve of Garden Scurvy-graſs, and of Elder, each 4 Ounces, Aron-root in Powder, Millipedes prepared, each 1 Ounce, Powder of *Winter*'s Bark 2 Drams, Syrup of Elder a ſufficient Quantity to make into the Conſiſtence of an Electuary.

The Quantity of a Nutmeg is order'd of this 2 or 3 Times in a Day; and it is given in all Caſes attended with a foul Blood, as in the Itch, and ſuch like Diſtempers.

Electuarium Diaſinapios.

℞ *Pulv. ſem. Sinapios* ℥ iv.
Sem. Naſturtii,
Erucæ, ā ℥ ſs.
Fol. Majoranæ,
Menthæ, ā ℥ j. ſs.
Ol. N. M. ʒ j. ſs.
Syr. Pæoniæ ſimpl. q. ſ. ut f. Electuarium.
Doſis ʒ j. *bis in die.*

The Muſtard Electuary.

Take of Muſtard-ſeed powder'd 4 Ounces, of Water-creſſes, and Rochet, each half an Ounce, Leaves of Marjoram and Mint, each 1 Ounce and half, Oil of Nutmegs 1 Dram and half, Syrup of Pionies ſimple, a ſufficient Quantity to make into an Electuary: The Doſe 1 Dram twice in a Day.

This is given in all paralytick Caſes, Numbneſs, and thoſe nervous Decays which are common to Old Age, and ſuch as have had any Shocks of an Apoplexy. It greatly warms the Blood, and gives new Spirits to the almoſt dryed Fibres.

Electuarium Febrifugum.

℞ *Cortic. Peruvian. pulv.* ℔ j.
Rad. ſerpent. Virg. ℥ j.
Syr. Gariaph. q. ſ. ut f. Elect.

The Febrifuge Electuary.

Take of the *Peruvian* Bark finely powder'd 1 Pound, Snake Root 1 Ounce, Syrup of Cloves a ſufficient Quantity to make into an Electuary.

This is given in the Intervals of an intermitting Fever, and in all Agues, which it infallibly cures; but they will frequently return, unleſs this be repeated for 2 or 3 Days, about 10 Days after the firſt Cure. But great Care is neceſſary, that it be not given till the Fit is clear off, otherwiſe it will grievouſly aggravate the Diſtemper. It is to be given ſeldomer or oftner, according to the Length of the Intervals; ſo that 4 or 5 Doſes, each the Quantity of a Cheſtnut, may be taken in the Space of one Interval.

Electuarium Hæmorrhoidale Laxativum.

℞ *Elect. Lenitiv.* ℥ j. ſs.
Flor. Sulphur. ʒ iij.
Syr. Violar. q. ſ. ut f. Elect.

A Laxative Electuary for the Piles.

Take of Lenitive Electuary 1 Ounce and half, Flowers of Brimſtone 3 Drams, Syrup of Violets a ſufficient Quantity to make into an Electuary.

The Quantity of a Nutmeg is to be taken of this every Morning and Night, and it will keep the Belly moderately lax, and greatly eaſe the Piles. All the Sulphur Medicines are of Service in this Complaint; whether by altering the Quality of the Blood, or by influencing the Secretion, ſo as to remit its Quantity, is of too great a length here to be enquired into.

Electuarium Carminativum.

℞ *Pulv. Sem. Angel.*
——— — *Carui,*
——— — *Petroſel.* ā ʒ ij.
Syr. Caryoph. q. ſ. ut f. Elect.

A Carminitive Electuary.

Take of the Powder of Angelico-ſeeds, Caraway-ſeeds, and Parſley-ſeeds, each 2 Drams, Syrup of Cloves a ſufficient Quantity to make into an Electuary.

This

This is directed to be taken at Diſcretion, about the Quantity of a Nutmeg, for ſuch who are much liable to Wind in the Bowels or *Stomach*.

Electuarium Nephriticum.

℞ *Elect. Lenitiv.* ℔ j.
Terebinth. Ven. ℥ iv.
Crem. Tartari ℥ j.
Miſce f. Elect. Doſis ʒ j. *bis de die.*

A Nephritick Electuary.

Take of Electuary Lenitive 1 Pound, *Venice* Turpentine 4 Ounces, Cream of Tartar 1 Ounce; mix them into an Electuary. The Doſe 1 Dram twice in a Day.

This gently opens by Stool; but is very forcing by Urine, and is therefore directed in all Obſtructions and Foulneſſes of the Kidneys and Ureters; and even in *Gonorrhœa's* it is an excellent Remedy, and principally uſed in the Hoſpitals for ſuch Purpoſes.

Electuarium Terebinthinatum.

℞ *Pulv. Rad. Jalap.* ℥ iv.
Scammonii,
Liquirit. *ā* ℥ ij.
Rez. Jalap. ℥ ſs.
Sal. Tartar.
Ol. Aniſi, *ā* ʒ ij.
Terebinth. Venet. q. ſ. ut f. Elect. Doſis ʒ j. *omni mane.*

The Turpentine Electuary.

Take Powder of the Root of Jallap 4 Ounces, Scammony, and Liquorice, each 2 Ounces, Rezin of Jallap half an Ounce, Salt of Tartar 2 Drams, *Venice* Turpentine a ſufficient Quantity to make into an Electuary: The Doſe 1 Dram every Morning.

This will purge pretty briskly, and is therefore frequently directed in a *Gonorrhœa*, to be taken till the Matter becomes well-colour'd; when it is left off for Things more ſtrengthning. And it is likewiſe good in all Caſes whatſoever as an ordinary Purge.

Enema Anticolicum.

℞ *Decoct. Carminativ.* ℥ x.
Mel. Mercurialis ℥ iij.
Specier. Hieræ ʒ ij.
Sal. Mar. Cochl. j.
Miſce.

A Colick Clyſter.

Take of the Carminative Decoction 10 Ounces, Honey of Mercury 3 Ounces, Hiera Picra 2 Drams, Sea Salt 1 Spoonful; mix together for a Clyſter.

The Title of this ſufficiently ſhews its Uſe and Virtues. As alſo of

Enema Commune.

℞ *Decoct. Carminat.* ℥ x.
Mel Mercurialis ℥ ij.
Elect. Lenitiv. ℥ j.
Miſce.

The Common Clyſter.

Take of the Carminative Decoction 10 Ounces, Honey of Mercury 2 Ounces, Lenitive Electuary 1 Ounce; mix together for a Clyſter.

Enema

Enema Dyſentericum.

℞ *Decoct. albi* ℥ vj.
Diaſcord. ℥ ſs.
Bol. Armen.
Theriac. Androm. ā ʒ ij.
Miſce.

A Clyſter for the Bloody-Flux.

Take of the White Decoction 6 Ounces, Diaſcordium half an Ounce, Bole-Armoniack, *Venice* Treacle, each 2 Drams; mix together for a Clyſter.

This muſt be well mixed, and carefully adminiſtred, elſe it will not paſs the Pipe: And in Fluxes all Clyſters ought to be in as little Quantity as they can be conveniently given, becauſe they will ſtay the eaſier, and conſequently have the greater Effect.

Enema Hæmorrhoidale.

℞ *Gallor. contuſ.* ℥ iij.
Coq. in aq. fontan. q. ſ. ad ℥ vj. *Colat. ſ. Enema pro uſu.*

A Cly-

A Clyſter for the Piles.

Take Galls bruiſed 3 Ounces, boil them in a ſufficient Quantity of Spring-water to 6 Ounces, and ſtrain out the Liquor for a Clyſter.

Enema Lenitivum.

℞ *Decoct. Carminat.* ℥ xij.
Mel. Anglic. ℥ ij.
Sachar. rub. ℥ j.
Miſce.

A Lenitive Clyſter.

Take of the Carminative Decoction 12 Ounces, common Honey 2 Ounces, brown Sugar 1 Ounce; mix together for a Clyſter.

Enema Terebinth.

℞ *Decoct. Carminat.* ℥ x.
Terebinth. Venet. (in vitello ovi ſolut.) ℥ ſs.
Elect. Lenit.
Mel. commun. ā ℥ j.
Miſce.

The

The Turpentine Clyſter.

Take of the Carminative Decoction 10 Ounces, *Venice* Turpentine (diſſolved in the Yolk of an Egg) half an Ounce, Electuary Lenitive, and common Honey, each 1 Ounce; mix them together very carefully for a Clyſter.

This is generally order'd in ſuch Colick Pains as proceed from the Stone or Gravel; and in Ulcers of the Bladder and Womb.

Emplaſtrum Diſcutiens ſimpl.

℞ *Ol. Olivar.*
Terebinth. Venet. ā ℔ iv.
Picis Burgund.
Ceræ flavæ, ā ℔ ij.
Miſce & coq. ad debitam conſiſtentiam ut f. Emplaſt.

A Diſcutient Plaſter.

Take of Oil of Olives, and *Venice* Turpentine, each 4 Pound, *Burgundy* Pitch, and Yellow Wax, each 2 Pound; boil them together to a due Conſiſtence for a Plaſter.

Emplaſtrum

Emplaſtrum Laterale.

℞ Empl. ex Galbano croc. ex Mynſicht. ℥ vj.
Diachyl. cum Gummi ʒ ij.
E Cymino ʒ iij.
Miſce & colliq. addendo Ol. Pulegii, gut. x.
Ol. Lavend. gut. vj.

A Plaſter for the Side.

Take of *Mynſicht's* Galbanum with Saffron 6 Drams, Diachylon with the Gum 2 Drams, Cummin Plaſter 3 Drams; melt them together, and add 10 Drops of Oil of Pennyroyal, and 6 Drops of Oil of Lavender.

This is applied in any Pains and Stitches, and is found of good Service; and alſo to Children that have inward Convulſions.

Emplaſt. Mercuriale, ſeu Parygoricum.

℞ Empl. Diſcutient. ſimpl. ℔ iv. vel de Minio.
Liquat. adde Hydrar. Tereb. Venet. q. ſ. bene commixt. ℥ xij. Miſce ut f. Empl.

A

A Mercurial or Anodyne Plaſter.

Take of the above ſimple Diſcutient Plaſter 4 Pounds, or of Red Lead, melt it, and add thereunto 12 Ounces of Quickſilver that has been well incorporated, with a ſufficient Quantity of Turpentine.

Theſe are both good to diſcuſs hard Tumours; but the latter with Quickſilver is much the moſt efficacious in ſuch as are obſtinate, and which frequently ariſe from venereal and ſcrophulous Cauſes. Great Care in making is to be uſed, to incorporate the *Quickſilver* well with the Turpentine, elſe it will not be ſo mixed, but that in ſpreading the Plaſter for Uſe, it will ſeparate and run into Globules. If this be carefully made, it is preferable to the Frog-Plaſter with Quickſilver in the *London Diſpenſatory*, altho' that is vaſtly more troubleſome to make, being ſtuffed with many Ingredients that are of no real Service, but only perplex the Compounder, and amuſe the Expectations of the Ignorant: This applied to Ulcers with callous Lips does Wonders.

Emplaſtrum Epiſpaſticum.

℞ *Empl. Diſcutien. ſimpl. vel Adhæſiv. Batean. q. ſ. extende craſſius ſuper alutam, ſuperficiem obtegendo pulvere ſubtiliſſimo Cantharidum q. ſ.*

A Bliſter-Plaſter.

Take of the ſimple diſcutient Plaſter abovementioned, or of the ſticking Plaſter in *Bate*'s, a ſufficient Quantity to ſpread thick upon Leather, over which ſprinkle of the fine Powder of Cantharides as much as will ſtick.

This is an eaſy way to raiſe a Bliſter, and now much uſed in the common Practice, as well as in the Hoſpitals. And it is much more certain than the common Plaſters into which the Flies are mixed, for it cannot fail of its Intention; but ſome are apprehenſive that by this Means the Flies get more into the Blood, and are more liable to create Stranguries, and ſuch Inconveniencies as make their inward Uſe ſo dangerous. But whether there be any Thing in this or not, there is not Room here to conſider. However, thoſe who chuſe this way are obliged to leave the Edges of the Plaſter uncovered

with the Flies, or to ſtick Strops on it croſs-ways, ſpread with ſomewhat ſticking, elſe it will not keep upon the Part to which it is applied.

Electuarium ad Gonorrhœam.

℞ *Pulpæ Caſſiæ rec. extr.* ʒ ij.
Tereb. Venet. ℥ ij.
Calomel.
Ocul. Cancr. prep.
Sal. Prunel. ā ʒ j.
Sal. Vol. Succini ℈ iiij.
Cum Syr. de Althæâ Fernel. q. ſ. M. f. Elect.

An Electuary againſt a Gonorrhœa.

Take Pulp of Caſſia freſh drawn 2 Drams, *Venice* Turpentine 2 Ounces, Calomel, Crabs Eyes, and Sal Prunel, each 1 Dram, Volatile Salt of Amber 4 Scruples, make them up into an Electuary with a ſufficient Quantity of *Fernelius*'s Syrup of Marſhmallows.

This is a peculiar good Medicine in a recent Gonorrhœa, eſpecially when the Patient is weak, or of a thin Habit of Body. It is ſaid to be the grand *Arcanum* of the famous Dr. *Wall*, and may be taken about the Quantity of a Nutmeg twice or thrice in a Day.

Emplaſtrum

Emplaſtrum ad Ganglion.

℞ *Galban. colat.* ℥ j.
Mercur. dulc. ʒ ij.
M. f. Emplaſtrum.

Plaſter for a Ganglion.

Take of ſtrained Galbanum 1 Ounce, of Mercurius Dulcis two Drams, and mix into a Plaſter.

This ſeldom fails of curing Ganglions, and diſcuſſing old glandulous Tumours, that are without Inflammation.

Emplaſt. Lumbare.

℞ *Empl. Diachylon. ſimpl. vel de Minio* ℔ ſs.
Liquat. adde
Thuris opt. ℥ ij.
Bol. Armen. ℥ iij.
Miſce.

A Plaſter for the Back.

Take Diachylon ſimple, or de Minio, half a Pound; to which, when melted, add of the beſt Frankinſence 2 Ounces, and of Bole Armoniack 3 Ounces.

This is ſpread upon Leather pretty thick, and apply'd to the Small of the Back, to be continued as long as it will ſtick, for many Weakneſſes of the Kidneys; in which caſe it frequently does good Service: But it is more particularly uſeful in that Diſorder which, amongſt the Females, is called the *Whites*. But to ſome it occaſions ſuch intolerable Itching, as to make it difficult to keep it on.

Gargariſma Apoplecticum.

℞ *Rad. Pyrethri*;
ZZ. inciſ. ā ℥ ſs.
Piper. alb. contuſ. ʒ ij.
Coq. in aq. fontan. q. ſ. ad ℔ ſs. *coctione finitâ, calid. affunde*
Sem. Sinapios ʒ iij.
Colat. adde
Aceti acerrimi ℥ iij.
Miſ. f. Gargariſma, quo colueret fauces ſiphonis auxillo.

An Apoplectick Gargle.

Take Pellitory Root, and Ginger ſliced, each half an Ounce, white Pepper 2 Drams, boil in a ſufficient Quantity of Water to half a Pint, which pour out upon 3 Drams of bruiſed Muſtard-ſeed: when it is ſtrained, put to it 3 Ounces of ſharp Vinegar for a Gargle to ſyringe the Mouth with.

Gargariſma Commune.

℞ *Aq. Hord.* ℔ j.
Alum. uſt. ʒ ij.
Mel. Angl. ℥ iij.
Miſce.

A Common Gargle.

Take Barley-water 1 Pint, Burnt-Alum 2 Drams, Honey 3 Ounces; mix them together for Uſe.

Gargariſma Emolliens.

℞ *Decoct. Pectorale* ℔ j.
Sp. Sal. Armoniac. ʒ ij.
Miſce.

The Emollient Gargle.

Take Pectoral Decoction a Pint, Spirit of Sal Armoniac 2 Drams; mix them together.

There needs no Directions concerning the Uſe of theſe.

Hauſtus Purgans Communis.

℞ *Decoct. Senæ* ℥ iv.
Aq. Epidem. ʒ ij.
Syr. e Spin. Cerv. ℥ j.
Miſce.

The Common Purging Draught.

Take the Decoction of Sena 4 Ounces, Plague-water 2 Drams, Syrup of Buckthorn 1 Ounce; mix into a Draught.

This is a moderate Purge, and commonly directed in ordinary Caſes where Purging is required.

Hauſtus Stomachic.

℞ *Aq. Cinnam. Hord.* ℥ j.
Succ. Limon. ℥ ſs.
Sal. Abſynth. ℈ j.
Miſce f. Hauſtus.

A Stomachick Draught.

Take Barley Cinnamon-water 1 Ounce, Juice of Limons half an Ounce, Salt of Wormwood 1 Scruple; mix for a Draught.

This

This is given in Vomitings, and is to be repeated after each Vomiting, until all Things are quiet; but it is ſo effectual to this Purpoſe, as ſeldom to require many Repetitions before it takes Place.

Hauſtus Epilepticus.

℞ *Rad. Valerian. Silveſter Pul.* ʒ j ſs.
Aq. Pulegii;
— *Ceraſor. Nigr.* ā ℥ j ſs.
Syr. è Peonia Comp. ʒ ij.
Miſce f. Hauſtus.

An Epileptick Draught.

Take Powder of wild Valerian Root 1 Dram and half, Peniroyal Water, and black Cherry Water, each 1 Ounce and half, Syrup of Pionies 2 Drams; mix into a Draught.

This is an extraordinary Medicine for the Purpoſe it is preſcribed, tho' it is not much known in common Practice. The Valerian is alſo very efficacious in all Diſtempers from a Nervous Origin.

Hauſtus Emeticus Communis.

℞ *Infuſionis Croc. Metallor.* ℥ j.

The Common Vomit is,

An Ounce of the Infuſion of *Crocus Metallorum.*

Hauſtus Emeticus.

℞ *Succ. Herb. Aſari* ʒ vj. *vel* ℥ j.
Oxymel. Scillit. ℥ ſs.
Aq. Cardui Ben. ℥ ij.
Miſce f. Hauſtus.

An Emetick Draught.

Take of the Juice of Aſarabacca 6 Drams, or an Ounce, Oxymel of Squills half an Ounce, Carduus-water 2 Ounces; mix into a Draught.

This is a very ſtrong Emetick, and is much uſed at *Bedlam*, amongſt the Maniacks, for it will operate, when neither the *Crocus*, nor any of the common Mercurial Emeticks, will move them. And it has been confirmed by all Experience, that ſuch Patients are much more difficult to be wrought upon, than any others, either by Catharticks or Emeticks; inſomuch that they will bear enough at a Doſe for 6 or 10 ordinary Perſons: their Fibres, and all the Parts of the Brain, moſt particularly adminiſtring to Senſation,

ſation, being extreamly clogged with viſcid Humours, which this Medicine is very powerful in draining off; and upon the ſame Account likewiſe it is of ſuch good Service as a Sternutatory; for it greatly drains the Head by the powerful Twitches and Vellications it gives to the Fibres of the Noſe, and Parts adjacent.

Hauſtus Febrificus.

℞ *Aq. Card. Ben. Theriac.* ã ℥ ij.
Sal. Abſynth. ʒ ſs.
Sp. Vitriol. ℈ j.
Syr. è ſuc. Aurant. ʒ vj.
Ol. Cinnam. gut. j.
M. f. Hauſtus.

Quem capiat hora una antequam Paroxyſmus irgruat & ſe componat ad ſudendum in lecto plus ſolito tecto.

The Febrifuge Draught.

Take Carduus and Treacle-Water of each 2 Ounces, Salt of Wormwood half a Dram, Spirit of Vitriol 1 Scruple, Syrup of Oranges 6 Drams, Oil of Cinnamon 1 Drop.

This is to be taken an Hour before the Fit, then the Patient is to go to Bed, and be covered warmer than ordinary.

Hauſtus Dyſentericus.

℞ *Aq. Cinnam. fort.*
Menthæ, *ā* ℥ j.
Pul. Rhab. ℈ ſs.
Syr. e Meconio ℥ j.
Miſce.

A Draught for a Dyſentery.

Take ſtrong Cinnamon-water, and Mint-water, each 1 Ounce, Powder of Rhubarb half a Scruple, Syrup of Diacodium 1 Ounce, mix into a Draught.

This both aſtringes and compoſes, and at the ſame Time, by the Help of the Rhubarb, helps forward the Ejectment of ſuch Humours as vellicate the Bowels, tear off their natural Mucus, and lay open the Capillaries in ſuch Manner, as to let out the Blood to flow at every Stool.

Infuſio Millipedum.

℞ *Milliped. vivent.* ℔ iv.
Vini albi ℔ viij.
Infund. frigid. ben. clauſ. per dies xiv. *Doſis* ℔ ſs. *bis in die.*

An

An Infuſion of Millepedes.

Take 4 Pound of live Millepedes, infuſe them cold in 8 Pints of White Wine for 14 Days; then ſtrain for Uſe.

This is an excellent Diuretick, and a moſt efficacious Medicine in all Chronick Caſes, that are to be relieved by promoting the urinary Diſcharges, as are many ſcrophulous Diſorders, and ſuch as frequently are the Forerunners of ſcorbutick Dropſies, from a Retention of ſuch Humours as foul the *Viſcera*, and ſtuff the whole Habit with Water and Viſcidities.

Infuſio Paralytica.

℞ *Rad. Raphani ruſt. tenuit. inciſ.*
Sem. Sinapios contuſ. *ā* ℥ iv.
Infund. in aq. bullientis ℔ iv. *clauſ. horis* xxiv. *Doſis* ℔ ſs. *bis in die.*

The Paralytick Infuſion.

Take Horſe-radiſh Root ſliced thin, and Muſtard-ſeed bruiſed, each 4 Ounces; infuſe them in 4 Pints of boiling Water for 24 Hours; then ſtrain for Uſe, and drink half a Pint twice in a Day.

This is not only Diuretick as the former, but is alſo much warmer; and is therefore not only directed to cleanſe away by Urine any Thing that lodges upon the Fibres, ſo as to ſpoil their Offices, but alſo to give them due Warmth, which in Paralytick Caſes they are deſtitute of. It ought to be kept cloſe ſtopped, becauſe it otherwiſe would, by its Volatility, ſpoil and grow vapid. In Rheumatiſms this is alſo frequently given with great Succeſs, eſpecially if the Limbs ſwell with great Pains.

Infuſio Pleuretica.

℞ *Fimi Equini recent.* ℥ vj.
Aq. Pulegii ℥ xij.
— *Theriac.* ℥ iv.
Infund. calide. Colat. adde
Mithrid. ʒ ij.
Sachar. albiſ. q. ſ.
Doſis ℔ ſs. *bis de die.*

The Pleuretick Infuſion.

Take freſh Horſe-dung 6 Ounces, Peniroyal-water 12 Ounces, Treacle-water 4 Ounces; infuſe them warm, and to the ſtrained Liquor add Mithridate 2 Drams, White Sugar a ſufficient Quantity to ſweeten it; drink half a Pint twice in a Day.

This

This is a very good Medicine for the Purpoſe it is intended, and will frequently procure Eaſe when no other Means will take Place. If the Doſe here mentioned be too noiſome, it may be leſſened, and repeated the oftner. This is likewiſe order'd in Diſtempers of the Breaſt, that are not a true Pleuriſie, wherein it will do great Service, as in a Peripneumony; and in an Aſthma, the common pectoral Drinks are not to be compared to it.

Julapium Camphoratum.

℞ *Camph.* ʒ ij.

Incende & ſæpe extingue in aq. font. ℔ j. *ad totius Camphoræ conſumptionem.*

The Camphorated Julep.

Take Camphire 2 Drams, ſet it on Fire, and extinguiſh it in a Pint of Water; then light it again and extinguiſh it, which repeat till all the Camphire is conſumed.

This is order'd in malignant Fevers, and in inflammatory Caſes. There are ſome peculiar Hyſterical Caſes, wherein alſo it is of good Service: but it is not greatly uſed.

Jula-

Julapium Hyſtericum.

℞ *Aq. Rutæ,*
— *Pulegii,* ã ℥ viij.
— *Bryoniæ comp.* ℥ iv.
Pulv. Troch. de Myrrha ʒ ij.
Sachar. albiſ. ℥ j. ſs.
Miſce f. Julap.

The Hyſterick Julep.

Take Rue-water, Peniroyal-water, of each 8 Ounces, Bryony-water compound 4 Ounces, Troches of Myrrh powder'd 2 Drams, fine Sugar 1 Ounce and half; mix into a Julep.

This is the ordinary Hyſterick Julep, given either as a Diluter of other more efficacious Medicines in ſuch Caſes, or where the Symptoms are not much aggravated, being well ſhaked before taking; the Quantity of 5 or 6 Spoonfuls at a Doſe, to be repeated once in 3 or 4 Hours.

Julapium Cardiacum.

℞ *Aq. Scordii comp.* ℥ viij.
— *Theriac.*
— *Epidem.* ã ℥ ij.
Syr. Garyoph. q. ſ. ut f. Julap.

The

The Cordial Julep.

Take compound Scordium-water 8 Ounces, Treacle-water, and Plague-water, each 2 Ounces, Syrup of Cloves a ſufficient Quantity to ſweeten it.

This is preſcribed in all kinds of Fevers, and is much more efficacious than the Juleps ordinarily preſcribed in common Practice: 3 or 4 Spoonfuls may be repeated every 2 or 3 Hours, till ſome Criſis appears, and the Diſtemper abates.

Julapium Mithridaticum.

℞ *Aq. Hord.* ℥ xij.
— *Menthæ* ℥ ij.
— *Epidem.* ℥ iv.
Elect. Mithrid. ʒ ij.
Sachar. alb. ℥ j ſs.
Miſce cap. Coch. iv. *ſextâ quâque horâ.*

A Julep with Mithridate.

Take Barley-water 12 Ounces, Mint-water 2 Ounces, Plague-water 6 Ounces, Mithridate 2 Drams, White-Sugar 1 Ounce and half; mix into a Julep, to take 4 Spoonfuls every 6 Hours.

This

This is alſo directed to the ſame Purpoſe as the foregoing; but is not quite ſo pleaſant to take.

Julapium Febrif.

℞ *Aq. Hord.* ℔ iij.
Theriac. ℥ vj.
Syr. e ſuc. Lim. ℥ iv.
Miſce.

A Julep to be taken in a Fever.

Take Barley-water 3 Pints, Treacle-water 6 Ounces, Syrup of Juice of Limons 4 Ounces; mix into a Julep.

This is directed for the common Diluter, and is order'd to be drank of liberally in all inflammatory Fevers.

Linctus Pectoralis.

℞ *Ol. Lini ſine igne extract.*
Syr. Garyophil. ā ℥ ij.
Sach. alb. ʒ j.
Miſce.

A

A Pectoral Linctus.

Take 2 Ounces of Linſeed Oil drawn without Fire, and Syrup of Cloves, each 2 Ounces, Sugar 1 Dram; incorporate them together in a Marble Mortar.

This is commonly directed in all Diſtempers of the Breaſt, to promote Expectoration, and ſmooth the *Bronchii*, which are too much vellicated by a ſharp *Serum*. It is given a Spoonful at Diſcretion.

Laudanum Liquidum.

℞ *Caryoph.*
Cinnam.
Macis, ā ℥ ſs.
Sal. Tartari ʒ ij.
Opii Theb. ten. inciſ. ℔ ſs.
Vini Canar. ℔ vj.
Infunde clauſe per dies xiv. *Doſis* gut. xxx.

The Liquid Laudanum.

Take Cloves, Cinnamon, Mace, each half an Ounce, Salt of Tartar 2 Drams, Opium half a Pound; infuſe them all in 6 Pints of Canary for 14 Days; then evaporate the ſtrained Liquor to 4 Pints. The Doſe 30 Drops.

Lauda-

Laudanum Opiatum.

℞ *Opii Thebaici ten. inciſ.* ℔ j.
Vini Canarini ℔ ij.
Sal. Tartari ʒ ij.
Diſſolve & cola, deinde exhala ad conſiſtentiam Mellis; cui adde
Piper. long.
ZZ. ā ʒ ij.
Sal. Volat. CC. ℥ jſs.
Ol. Aniſi,
Caryoph.
N. M. ā ʒ ij.
Miſce f. Maſſa. Doſis cujus ſit gr. j. *ad* ij.

The Solid Laudanum.

Take Opium ſliced thin 1 Pound, Canary 2 Pints, Salt of Tartar 2 Drams; diſſolve them together, then ſtrain out the Liquor, and evaporate it to the Conſiſtence of Honey; to which add Long Pepper, and Ginger, each 2 Drams, Volatile Salt of Hartſhorn an Ounce and half, Chymical Oil of Aniſeed, of Cloves, and of Nutmegs, each 2 Drams, and make into a Maſs for Uſe: The Doſe from 1 Grain to 2 Grains.

Theſe are both extraordinary Medicines, eaſily made, and much preferable to any under

under the ſame Title, that are vaſtly more troubleſome and coſtly to prepare. Their Uſe needs no Explanation.

Mixtura Aſthmatica.

℞ *Oxymel Scillit.*
Aq. Cinnam. Hord. ā ℥ iij.
Miſce.

The Aſthmatick Mixture.

Take Oxymel of Squills, Barley and Cinnamon-water, each 3 Ounces; mix them together.

This is given to promote Expectoration; and it is alſo an excellent Diuretick, by which Means it operates all poſſible Ways to anſwer the Purpoſes ſignified by the Title. It is given a Spoonful at a Time, 3 or 4 Times in a Day, but particularly in the Morning.

Mixtura Antiemetica.

℞ *Succi Limon. recent.* ℥ vj.
Sal. Abſynth. ʒ ij.
Miſce.

The

The Antiemetick Mixture.

Take freſh Juice of Limons 6 Ounces, Salt of Wormwood 2 Drams, mix them together.

If this is not mixed in a very large Veſſel, and great Care taken, the Fermentation will be ſo violent and ſudden, as to throw it over. It is very good for the Purpoſes its Title expreſſes, and is directed 3 or 4 Spoonfuls at a Time, to be repeated after every Vomiting till it ſtops.

Mixtura Cardiaca Anodyna.

℞ *Aq. Theriac. ſuperſcript.*
Menth. *ā* ℔ ii.
Philon. Perſic. ℥ j.
Miſce Cap. Coch. ii. *poſt. ſing. ſed.*

The Anodyne Cardiac Mixture.

Take Treacle-water above-preſcribed, and Mint-water, each 2 Pints, *Philon. Perſic.* 1 Ounce; mix together, and take 2 Spoonfuls after every Stool.

This is a ſtanding Mixture at the *Lock* and *Kingſland* Hoſpitals, which is given to prevent a Griping, and a Teneſmus, which frequently

frequently happen by anointing with Mercurials to raiſe a Salivation. And if Blood likewiſe appears with the Stools, the following Clyſter is ordered: *vid. Ung. cæruleum.*

℞ *Brodii Sebac.* ℔ ſs.
Ol. Lini, vel
Ol. Hyperic. ℥ ij.
Vitel. Ov. No. ij.
Theriac. Lond. ʒ iij.
Balſ. Sulph. Terebinth. ℥ ſs.
Miſce f. Enema.

Take very fat Broth half a Pint, Linſeed-Oil, or Oil of St. *John*'s-wort 2 Ounces, the Yolk of 2 Eggs, *London*-Treacle 3 Drams, Balſam of Sulphur terebinthinated half an Ounce; mix for a Clyſter.

Mel. Mercurial.

Ut in Pharmacopœia Londinenſi.

Opium

Opium Purum.

℞ *Opii opt. inciſ.* ℥ iv.
Coq. in aq. puriſſima q. ſ. ut Tinct. extrahatur rubicundiſſima. Hanc e fæcibus cola, novaq; aqua affundatur, & ut antea coq. tamdiu operationem repet. donec fæces Tincturam ulterius negant. Tincturas omnes evapora lento igne ad conſiſtentiam Pilul.

Purified Opium.

Take of the beſt Opium 4 Ounces, diſſolve it, and boil it in a ſufficient Quantity of clear Water, till it gives it a very red Colour, which ſtrain from the Fæces; to them put freſh Water, and boil again; which repeat as long as they will continue to give any Tincture; then evaporate the ſeveral Tinctures together into the Conſiſtence of a Pill.

This is uſed in the ſame Caſes and Quantities as crude Opium, and by ſome it is preferr'd to that; but the Difference is not worth diſputing, and it is hardly worth the Trouble of this Proceſs.

Oxymel Scilliticum.

Ut in *Pharmacopœia* Londinenſi.

Oxymel

Oxymel Pectorale.

℞ *Rad. Enul.*
Aſari,
ZZ. inciſ. ā ℥ vj.
Iridis flor.
Galang. inciſ.
Piper. alb. parum contuſ. ā ℥ iij.
Aq. fontan. ℔ x.
Acet. Vini albi ℔ vj.

Macera hor. xxiv. *deinde coque ad* ℔ x. *colat. adde Mel. Anglic.* ℔ vj. *coque & deſpuma; & tandem add. ſucc. Liquirit.* ℔ ſs, *ut f. Oxymel. Doſis* cochl. ij. *ad libitum ſumend.*

A Pectoral Oxymel.

Take of the Roots of Elicampane, Aſarabacca, and Ginger, each 6 Ounces, of Florentine Orrice, and Galangal Roots ſliced, and white Pepper a little bruiſed, each 3 Ounces, Spring-water 10 Pints, White-wine Vinegar 6 Pints; ſteep them together 24 Hours, then boil to 10 Pints; ſtrain, and add Honey 6 Pounds; then boil and clarifie; to which add of the Extract of Liquorice half a Pound, and make into a Syrup.

This

This is an efficacious Detergent, and does greatly promote Expectoration; for which Purpoſe it is much given in all Aſthmatick Caſes, and where the Breaſt is clogged with viſcid Humours; 2 or 3 Spoonfuls are ordered to be taken at any Time.

Oxymel Sambucinum.

℞ *Flor. Sambuci* M iij.
Coq. in aq. fon. ℔ iv. *ad* ℔ iij. *colat. ad. acet. Vin. alb. Succ. Pomor. Agreſt.* ℔ ij. *mel. opt.* ℔ vj. *Coq. ad Syrupi conſiſtentiam.*

Elder Oxymel.

Take Flowers of Elder 3 Handfuls, boil them in 4 Pints of Water to 3 Pints; to the ſtrained Liquor add White-wine Vinegar 1 Pint, Verjuice 2 Pints, and of the beſt Honey 6 Pound; boil up to the Conſiſtence of a Syrup.

This is given to help Expectoration, and is very effectual to break away the Obſtructions of the Breaſt, which occaſion Aſthma's and Coughs.

Pil.

Pil. Styptic.

℞ *Alum. rup. puriſſ.* ʒ iij.
Liquetur ſuper ignem, cui adde
Sang. Dracon. pul. ʒ j.
Ut f. maſſa, cujus ex ſingulis Drachmis f. Pil. No. x. *Doſis Pil.* v. *ter in die.*

The Stiptick Pill.

Take fine Roch Alum 3 Drams; melt it over a clear Fire, and then ſtir into it 1 Dram of Dragon's-Blood finely powder'd; and out of each Dram of the Maſs make 10 Pills; 5 of which are to be taken 3 Times in a Day.

This is a Recipe of Mr. *Helvetius*, as you may ſee in one of the *Act. Eruditor. Lypſ.* and are very much reſtringent, and are directed only in very obſtinate Fluxes, eſpecially Dyſenteries.

Pil. Anodynæ.

℞ *Opii puriſ. noſtr.* gr. j.
Extract. Croci gr. iv.
Miſce f. Pilula.

The Anodyne Pill.

Take purified Opium 1 Grain, Extract of Saffron 4 Grains, and mix.

This is a pleaſant and a very ſafe Opiate, and may be given in all Caſes where ſuch Helps are required. But its principal Uſe is in Catarrhs, and ſuch Defluxions as occaſion tickling Coughs, which it greatly relieves, and helps the Diſcharge of a great deal of Serum by the cutaneous Glands in Perſpiration, and Breathing Sweats.

Pil. Catarrhales.

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℞ *Pil. Ruffi* ℈ j.
Opii purif. gr. j.
F. Pil. hora ſomni ſumend.

Pills for a Catarrh.

Take *Pil. Ruffi* 1 Scruple, fine Opium 1 Grain; mix into Pills, and take them at Night going to Bed.

As the former is given to ſtop the Defluxion of Rheum upon the Glands of the Throat, and encourage its Diſcharge by the Skin; theſe are intended to divert it

by

by Stool, and are very good for that Purpoſe. They are given to aſthmatick Conſtitutions, and ſuch as are inclining to Conſumptions, from the Injuries ſuch Defluxions are apt to do to the Lungs.

Pil. Diuretica.

℞ *Sapon. Ven.* ℥ j.
Ol. Aniſ. gut. xxxij.

Contunde in Mortario ut f. Pil. No. x. *ex ſingulis Drachmis, involve in pulv. oculorum Cancrorum.*

The Diuretick Pills.

Take *Venice* Soap 1 Ounce, Oil of Aniſeed 32 Drops; beat them into a Maſs, and make 10 Pills out of every Dram, to be rolled up with the Powder of Crabs-Eyes.

Theſe are very efficacious in all Obſtructions of the Urinary Paſſages; and alſo ſo very detergent, as to be of great Service in any Foulneſſes of the *Viſcera*; ſo that they are not only of good Service in the Stone and Gravel, but in the Jaundice and Aſthma's, in the moſt obſtinate Caſes of which they are order'd with the greateſt Certainty of Succeſs. They are to be taken from

3 to 5, 2 or 3 Times in a Day; the Patient uſing proper Diluters at the ſame Time.

Pil. Ecphractica.

℞ *Specier. Hieræ Picræ* ℥ iv.
Sal. Martis ʒ ſs.
Syr. Chalybis q. ſ. miſce f. Pil. mediocres, Doſ. vi. *vel* vii. *de die.*

The Ecphractick Pills.

Take Hiera Picra 4 Ounces, Salt of Steel half an Ounce, Syrup of Steel a ſufficient Quantity to make into Pills of a moderate Bigneſs, to take 6 or 7 every Day.

Theſe are directed in groſs Habits of Body, that are contracted either from a ſlothful Life, or a poor groſs Diet, where the Stomach and *Viſcera* begin to be ſtuffed with ſuch Viſcidities as create Dropſies, Aſthma's, and many other Chronick Diſeaſes. They purge very gently, and are particularly good in a *Chloroſis*, and likewiſe in Hypochondriacal Affections.

Pil.

Pil. Stomachicæ.

℞ *Specier. Hieræ* ℥ ij.
Rad. Ari Sic. ℥ ſs.
Extract. Gentian. ʒ ij.
Elix. Propriet. q. ſ. ut ſ. maſſa, adde
Sal. Abſynthii ʒ ij.

The Stomachick Pills.

Take Hiera Picra 2 Ounces, dry'd Aron Root half an Ounce, Extract of Gentian 2 Drams, Elixir Proprietatis a ſufficient Quantity to make it into a Maſs for Pills; to which add Salt of Wormwood 2 Drams.

Theſe are directed to be taken every Morning, 6 or 7 at a Doſe; they gently purge, and both cleanſe away ſloughy Humours, which foul the Coats of the Stomach, and warm the Fibres, whereby Digeſtion is promoted. They are moſt convenient in an advanced Age, and full cachectick Habits, which abound with cold viſcid Humours.

Pil. Pectorales.

℞ *Rad. Enul. Liquiritiæ pul.* ℥ j.
Pulv. Croci ʒ ij.
Balſam. Sulph. aniſ. q. ſ. ut f. Pil. Doſ. iij. *bis in die.*

Pectoral Pills.

Take Elicampane Root powder'd 1 Ounce, Powder of Saffron 2 Drams, Balſam of Sulphur aniſated, a ſufficient Quantity to make into a Maſs for Pills, of which 3 is a Doſe twice in a Day.

Theſe are given in ordinary Coughs in conſumptive Habits, and in all Diſtempers of the Breaſt. They are both cordial and detergent, whereby they not only raiſe the Spirits, but cleanſe the Veſſels, promote Expectoration, and eaſe the Breath.

Pil. Hyſtericæ.

℞ *Galbani colat.*
Aſſæ Fetidæ ā ℥ j.
Pulv. Caſtor. ʒ j.
Tinct. Caſtor. q. ſ. ut f. Pil. mediocres.

The

The Hyſterick Pills.

Take Galbanum, and Aſſa Fœtida, each 1 Ounce, Powder of Caſtor 1 Dram, Tincture of Caſtor a ſufficient Quantity to make them into Pills.

Theſe are order'd in all Hyſteric Affections, and ſometimes in Hypochondriacal Caſes. They are given 5 at a Doſe, 2 or 3 Times in a Day.

Pil. Mercuriales.

℞ *Pil. e Duobus* ℥ j.
Calomel. ℥ ſs.
Syr. e Spin. Cervina q. ſ. ut f. maſſ. cui adde Ol. Saſſafr. gut. xx.

The Mercurial Pill.

Take *Pil. e Duobus* 1 Ounce, Calomel half an Ounce, Syrup of Buckthorn a ſufficient Quantity to make them into a Maſs; to which add Oil of Saſſafras 20 Drops.

Theſe are powerfully purging, and are generally given in Venereal Caſes, previous to a Salivation, or a Courſe of Alteratives. If they are made from each Dram into 10 Pills, 5 are enough for a Doſe; but the

Patients ought to be carefully attended, and kept warm during their Operation.

Pil. Polycreſt.

℞ *Aloes lucid.*
Scammon. opt. ā ʒ iij.
Trochiſci alhand. ʒ ij.
Croci opt. ℈ ij.

Aloes & Scammon. ſeorſim pulv. & cum Sp. Vini opt. in Maſſ. formentur; cui adde Troch. & Crocum ſubtiliſſime pulverizat.

Pills of many Virtues.

Take bright Aloes, and Scammony, each 3 Drams, Troches Alhandal 2 Drams, the beſt Saffron 2 Scruples; let the Aloes and Saffron be powder'd ſeparately, and made into a Maſs of the Conſiſtence of Pills, with the beſt Spirit of Wine; then mix the Troches and Saffron therewith.

These are uſed as a common Purge in all Cachectick Habits; the Quantity of half a Dram made into 5 Pills are generally directed for 1 Doſe.

Pil. Hydragogæ.

℞ *GGG.* ℥ ij.
Senæ ℥ ſs.
Crem. Tartari ʒ ij.
Ol. Aniſi ʒ j ſs.
Syr. e Spin. Cer. q. ſ. f. Maſſ.

Pills to purge Water.

Take Gamboge 2 Ounces, Sena half an Ounce, Cream of Tartar 2 Drams, Oil of Aniſeed 1 Dram and half, Syrup of Buckthorn a ſufficient Quantity to make them into a Maſs of a proper Conſiſtence for Pills.

Theſe purge much, and carry off a great Quantity of watery Humours, wherever they are ordered, particularly in Dropſies, and ſuch Cacheſtick Habits as abound with thoſe Humours. Their Doſe is from 1 Scruple to half a Dram, made into 4 or 5 Pills.

Pil. Ecphracticæ.

℞ *Specier. Hieræ noſtr.* ℥ ij.
Sal. Martis ℥ ſs.
Syr. e quinque Radicibus q. ſ. ut f. Pil. mediocres cap. vj. *vel* vij. *bis de die.*

The Ecphractick Pills.

Take of Species Hiera Picra 2 Ounces, Salt of Steel half an Ounce, Syrup of the 5 opening Roots a ſufficient Quantity to make them into a Maſs, to be formed into Pills of a moderate Bigneſs, of which 6 or 7 are to be taken twice in a Day.

Theſe differ very little from the Pills under the ſame Title a little before mention'd, only the Quantity of Steel here is in ſomewhat a larger Proportion than in them. They are given to the ſame Purpoſes as there obſerved.

Pil. ad Gonorrhœam.

℞ *Reſin. Jalap.* ℥ ij.
Fol. Senæ,
Gum Guaiaci ā ℥ j.
Sal. Tartari ʒ ij.
Balſam. Peruv. ℥ ß.
Terebinth. Venet. *q. ſ. ut f. maſſa. Doſis* v. *alter. mane.*

Pills

Pills for a Gonorrhœa.

Take Reſin of Jallap 2 Ounces, Leaves of Sena, Gum Guaiacum, each 1 Ounce, Salt of Tartar 2 Drams, Balſam of *Peru* half an Ounce, *Venice* Turpentine a ſufficient Quantity to make it into a Maſs for Pills of an ordinary Bigneſs, 5 of which are to be taken for a Doſe every other Morning.

Theſe are ſtrongly purgative, and calculated particularly to ſcour the Genital Parts, and thoſe Paſſages as are principally infected by Venereal Taints; inſomuch that they will frequently cleanſe away a *Gonorrhœa*, without the Aſſiſtance of Mercury; tho' moſt commonly a Bole with that is given over Night.

Pilulæ Hydropicæ.

℞ *Cataputiæ min.* ℥ j.
Aloe. Succotrin. ʒ j ſs.
Balſ. Tolu ʒ ij.
M. f. Pil. cum Sp. Vini gut. xv, *vel* xx.

Pills

Pills against a Dropſie.

Take of the leſſer Cataputia one Ounce, of Succotrine Aloes 1 Dram and half, of Tolu Balſam 2 Drams, and make into Pills in 15 or 20 Drops of Spirit of Wine.

The Vertues of this Maſs of Pills may be preſerved a long Time in an oily Bladder. It will be found of admirable Uſe in obſtinate Dropſies, eſpecially with very robuſt Conſtitutions, where few Things are to be found effectually ſtrong enough. The Doſe is 12 Grains, and not exceeding 25.

Pil. Ictericæ.

℞ *Rad. Curcumæ,*
Chalyb. cum Sulph. præp. ā ℥ ij.
Cinerum Moſcov. ℥ ſs.
Syr. e quinque Radicibus q. ſ. f. maſſa.
Doſis iij. *Pil. mediocres, bis in die.*

Pills againſt the Jaundice.

Take of Turmerick Root, Steel with Sulphur prepar'd, each 2 Ounces, Pot-aſhes half an Ounce, Syrup of the 5 opening Roots a ſufficient Quantity to make them into a due Conſiſtence for Pills; which if made of a middling Bigneſs, 3 are order'd for a Doſe twice in a Day.

They are very opening, and therefore not only of Service in the Diſtemper here mentioned, but in all Caſes from Obſtructions; and particularly they operate ſo powerfully by Urine, as to carry all before them which lodges in its Paſſages. The whole Habit likewiſe is cleanſed by them, and a Cachexy may by their Uſe be converted into a ſound, hale Conſtitution.

Potio Emetica.

℞ *Vin. Benedict.* ℥vj.
Aq. Pulegii ℥j ſs.
Oxymel. Pectoral. ℥iij.
Miſce.

The Emetick Draught.

Take of *Vinum Benedictum* 6 Drams, Penyroyal-water 1 Ounce and half, and Pectoral Oxymel 3 Drams; mix together into a Draught.

This is the common Vomit in moſt Caſes where ſuch a Medicine is required.

Pil. Ruffi.

—— *ex Duobus.*

—— *Coch. Maj.*

—— *Fœtid.*

All made as in the *London Diſpenſatory.*

Pil. Cinnabar.

℞ *Cinnab. nativ.* ℥j.
Pulv. Antiſiphil. ℥ ij.
——*Caſtor.* ʒ vj.
Mithrid. q. ſ. ut f. maſſa. *Doſis* gr. x. *ad* xv, *vel* xx.

The

The Cinnabar Pills.

Take of native Cinnabar 1 Ounce, of the ſalivating Powder 2 Ounces, Powder of Caſtor 6 Drams, Mithridate a ſufficient Quantity to make into a Maſs of a due Conſiſtence for Pills. The Doſe from 10 Grains to 15 or 20 Grains, made into ſmall Pills.

This will work both upwards and downwards, and frequently ſalivates. It is ſo churliſh, as not to be given but to robuſt Conſtitutions, and in very obſtinate Caſes; and in very ſtubborn Ulcers it frequently promotes their Cure more than any other Mercurial whatſoever.

Pulvis Antiſiphil. ſeu Salivans. Coats work

℞ *Mercur. præcip. rub. ſubtiliſſime pulv.* ℔ j. *inde vaſe terreo ſuper affunde Spiritum Vini rectif. ad eminentiam* ij. *digit. accend. Spiritum, continuo agitando, dum totus deflagaverit; repete opus ad tertiam vicem. Doſis* gr. x.

The Salivating Powder.

Take red Precipitate of Mercury 1 Pound, put it into a glazed Veſſel, and pour upon it rectify'd Spirit of Wine, ſo as to ſtand 2 Fingers above it, which ſet on fire, and ſtir it about all the while it is burning. Let this Operation be repeated 3 Times. The Doſe is 10 Grains.

The burning of the Precipitate in this manner breaks off the Points of thoſe Salts which join to the Mercury in its Preparation, and makes it operate with a greater Mildneſs, it being hardly ſafe in inward Uſe without ſuch Correction. And with this, Salivations are frequently raiſed by giving 10 Grains for a Doſe, with Conſerve of Roſes, or any Thing of like Subſtance. This is the Powder mentioned in the foregoing Preſcription.

Pulvis Diureticus.

℞ *Sal. Nitri puriſ.* ℨ iij.
— *Succin. volat.* ℨ j.
Teſt. ov. pulv. ℨ ij.
Sachar. albiſ. ℨ vj.
Miſce f. Pulvis Doſis ℨ j.

The

The Diuretick Powder.

Take fine Salt of Nitre 3 Ounces, volatile Salt of Amber 1 Dram, Powder of Egg-ſhells 2 Drams, white Sugar 6 Drams; make into a Powder. Doſe 1 Dram.

This is a very forceable Diuretick, and operates with great Quickneſs if given in a proper Quantity of Liquor, as White-wine, Whey, or any ſuch Diluter. For what is drank with it greatly helps its Operation, and makes it paſs with much more Safety, becauſe it is ſo ſharp, as otherwiſe to rake the Membranes too much, which will ſometimes ſtraiten the Paſſages, and increaſe the Obſtruction. A Quantity of Fluid likewiſe much favours the Operation of ſtimulating Diureticks, not only as a Vehicle, but becauſe it preſſes the faſter by its Weight thro' the depending Paſſages. In all Suſpicions of the Stone and Gravel, this is given once or twice in a Day, and continued according to the Importance of the Symptoms; but in ſloughy and viſcid Obſtructions, it is the more particularly fitted to break thro'. For Oily Medicines are moſt ſuitable to ſtony Concretions, which ſtop the Veſſels, becauſe they relax and render ſlippery the Paſſages; but in Collections of viſcid Matter

ter, they only increaſe the Stoppage; and then it is theſe pungent attenuating Salts are fitteſt to cut their way through, by dividing the obſtructed Matter, and carrying it along with them.

Pulvis Sternutatorius.

℞ *Fol. Aſari ſiccat. & pulv. q. ſ.*

The Sneezing Powder.

Take Powder of dry'd Leaves of Aſarabacca as much as is ſufficient.

This is the common Snuff, and it greatly drains the Head of tough, viſcid Humours, which are apt to clog the fine Springs of Life there ſituated. It is chiefly given at Night going to Bed, and it will make the Noſe run very much the next Day; tho' at firſt taking, it does not irritate ſo much as the ordinary Tobacco-Snuffs, and will not ſo much as cauſe Sneezing.

Pulvis Æthiopicus.

℞ *Æthiop. Min. ſine igne prep.* ℔ ſs.
Antimoni Crudi ℔ j.
Miſce f. Pulvis ſubtiliſſimus, Doſis ℥ ſs. *ter in die, ſuperbibendo Hauſtum Decocti Librantis.*

Æthiopick

Æthiopick Powder.

Take Æthiops Mineral prepared without Fire half a Pound, Crude Antimony 1 Pound, make them into a fine Powder, to take half a Dram 3 Times in a Day, with a Draught of the Decoction Liberans.

This is an admirable Remedy, and of great Efficacy in all cutaneous Foulneſſes; as Scabs, Itch, Leproſie, Herpes, and the like; and eſpecially if the Eruptions be anointed with the *Unguentum Pſoricum*, and the Patient be firſt bled, and purg'd with Calomel, drinking plentifully at the ſame Time *Aqua Liberans*. This is Dr. *C—de's* Method of curing thoſe Diſeaſes in St. *B———w's* Hoſpital.

Pulvis Hæmorrhoidalis.

℞ *Flor. Sulph.* ʒ j. *ad* ʒ ij.
Cap. bis in die in Hauſtu Lactis Vaccini, vel Juſculi Avenacei. Vide Elect. Hæmorrhoidale.

The Powder for the Piles.

Take Flowers of Sulphur 1 Dram to 2 Drams, twice in a Day, in a Draught of Milk, or Water-gruel. See the *Pile Electuary.*

This

This is a very eaſy and cheap Medicine, and very efficacious to the Purpoſe ſignified by its Title.

Pulvis ad Vermes.

℞ *CCC.*
Scammonii opt. ā ℥ j.
Calomel. ʒ vj.
Reſin Jalapi ʒ ij.
Miſce f. Pulv.

The Worm-Powder.

Take burnt Hartſhorn, and Scammony, each 1 Ounce, Calomel 6 Drams, Reſin of Jallap 2 Drams; mix together into a Powder.

This purges very briskly, and is very effectual againſt Worms, eſpecially in young Perſons. It is beſt taken in the Pap of an Apple, or any other ſuch Subſtance, becauſe the Calomel will ſink in any thin Liquor. The Doſe from 10 Grains to half a Dram in a Morning.

Pulv. Synanch.

℞ *Sal. Prunell.* ℥ j ſs.
Piper. alb. ʒ iij.
Sacchar. alb. ℥ iv.
Miſce f. Pulvis, de quo tenet. in ore ager & ſenſim deglutiat.

Powder

Powder for a ſore Throat.

Take Salt of Prunella 1 Ounce and half, White Pepper 3 Drams, White Sugar 4 Ounces; make into a Powder for the Patient to hold in his Mouth, and ſwallow gently.

This is good in all Inflammations in the Throat, and more effectual than moſt Gargles contrived for thoſe Purpoſes.

Pulvis Aſtringens in Diarrhœam.

℞ *Boli Armeni* ℔ j.
Rhab. torrifact. ℥ iij.
Miſce.

The Aſtringent Powder.

Take Armenian Bole 1 Pound, Rhubarb toaſted 3 Ounces; mix together for Uſe.

This is given in Looſeneſſes from half a Dram to 1 Dram at a Doſe, in any convenient Liquor; to be taken as often as the Symptoms require.

Pulvis Hæmopt.

℞ *Ungul. Equini ſiccat.* ℥ iv.
Sacchar. Roſat. ℥ ij.
Miſce f. Pulv. Cap. ʒ ſs. *ſextâ quâque horâ.*

A Powder againſt Spitting Blood.

Take of Horſe-Hoof dried 4 Ounces, Sugar of Roſes 2 Ounces; make them together into a fine Powder, and take half a Dram every ſix Hours.

Pulv. Alexiterius.

℞ *Pul. e Chel.* 69.
Coral. rub.
Succini albi ā ℥ viij.
Occul. 69 ℥ iv.
Rad. Contrayerv.
Serpent. Virgin.
Angel. ā ℥ ij.
Bol. Armen. ℥ iv.
Miſce f. Pulv. cap. ſextâ quâque horâ.

The Alexiterial Powder.

Take Powder of Crabs Claws, red Coral, white Amber, each 8 Ounces, Crabs-Eyes 4 Ounces, Contrayerva Root, *Virginia* Snake Root, and Angelico Root, each 2 Ounces, Bole-

Bole-Armoniack 4 Ounces; mix into a Powder, to take half a Dram every 6 Hours.

This is the common Preſcription in all Caſes attended with a Fever, and is continued till it raiſes a *Diaphoreſis*, or terminates the Diſtemper by any other critical Diſcharge. This is preferable to many Powders order'd for the ſame Purpoſe, tho' not ſo coſtly.

Species Hieræ Picræ.

℞ *Rad. Aſari,*
Galang.
Cinnamon.
Spic. nard.
Croci,
Myrrhæ ã ʒ vj.
Aloes opt. ℥ xij.
Miſce f. Pulvis ſubtiliſſimus.

Hiera Picra.

Take Roots of Aſarabacca, and Galangal, of Cinnamon, Spicknard, Saffron, and Myrrh, each 6 Drams, fine Aloes 12 Ounces; make all into a fine Powder.

This is a much better Medicine than the Hiera Picra of the *College*, becauſe ſome Ingredients in that are not at all to the main Scope

Scope of the Medicine; and this is uſed to the ſame Purpoſes.

Syrupus ex Allio.

℞ *Rad. Enul. Camp. inciſ.* ℥ iv.
ZZ. ʒ vj.
Rad. Glycyrrhizæ ℥ vj.
Coq. in aq. fontan. ℔ vj. *ad* ℔ iv. *ſub finem, adde Lobul. Allii. pellic. denudat. & tenuiter inciſ.* ℥ iv.
Sem. Aniſi contuſ. ℥ j ſs.
Colat. adde
Sacch. alb. ℥ iv.
Coq. ad conſiſtentiam Syrupi.

Syrup of Garlick.

Take Elicampane Root ſliced 4 Ounces, Ginger 6 Drams, Liquorice Root 6 Ounces; boil them in 6 Pints of Water to 4 Pints, and when it is almoſt enough boiled, put in 4 Ounces of the Heads of Garlick pealed from the outer Skin, of Anniſeed bruiſed 1 Ounce and half; to the ſtrained Liquor put 4 Pound of Sugar, and boil up to the Conſiſtence of a Syrup.

This is order'd for all aſthmatick Patients, and ſuch as labour with any Oppreſſion upon the Breaſt, and Difficulty of Breathing. It is given a Spoonful at any Time;

Time; but eſpecially at Night going to Bed, becauſe the Warmth encourages its Operation, and helps to breath off a great deal through the Skin.

Syrupus Althææ.

Garyoph.

Cydonii.

de Meconio.

Pæon. Comp.

e v. Radicibus.

Balſam.

Chalybis.

Sambuci.

Roſ. Solutiv.

All theſe are made as in the *London Diſpenſatory.*

Tinctura Caſſummuniar.

℞ *Rad. Caſſumuniar.* ℥ j.
Coccinel. ʒ j.
Infund in Sp. Vin. rect. ℔ j. *per dies quatuor filtrat. & reſerv. ad uſum.*

Tincture of Caſſumunary.

Take of Caſſumunar Root 1 Ounce, Cochinel 1 Dram, and infuſe them in one Pint of Spirit of Wine for 4 Days, then filter and keep for Uſe.

This is given a Spoonful or two at a Time, both as a Febrifuge, and an Antihyſterick; in both which Caſes it hath been experienced to be a good Medicine.

Tinctura Diuretica, ſeu Cantharidum.

℞ *Pulv. Rhei opt.* ʒ iij.
Gum. Guaiaci ʒ j ſs.
—— *Lac.* ʒ j.
Cantharid. contuſ. ʒ ij.
Cochinel. ʒ ſs.
Infunde calide per Dies iv. *in Spiritu Vini rectificati* ℔ j ſs. *colat. & filtretur ad uſum. Doſis* gut. xx. *ad* xl. *bis in die in Vino albo.*

The

The Diuretick Tincture.

Take of the beſt Rhubarb 3 Drams, Gum Guaiacum 1 Dram and half, Gum Lac 1 Dram, Cantharides bruiſed 2 Drams, Cochineel half a Dram; infuſe them warm for 4 Days in 1 Pint and half of rectified Spirit of Wine; then ſtrain and filter it for Uſe. The Doſe from 20 to 40 Drops twice in a Day in White-wine.

This is principally uſed where the urinary Paſſages are ſuſpected to be loaded with ſlimy and viſcid Humours. And to Females, in ſome Foulneſſes of the *Uterus*, it is ordered with good Succeſs. And it will breath away Obſtructions that no other Diuretick will take Place in; and outwardly it has been us'd with Succeſs to make the Hair grow.

Tinctura Fracaſtorii.

℞ *Aq. Hordei* ℥ x.
— *Cinnam. Hord.* ℥ iv.
— *Mirabilis* ℥ ij.
Confection. Fracaſt. ℥ ſs.
Sacchar. alb. q. ſ.

Fracaſtorius's *Tincture.*

Take Barley-water 10 Ounces, Barley Cinnamon-water 4 Ounces, Aqua Mirabilis 2 Ounces, Diaſcordium half an Ounce, white Sugar a ſufficient Quantity.

This is calculated againſt all Manner of Fluxes of the Belly, and is directed to be taken 4 or 5 Spoonfuls at a Doſe, after every Stool, or oftner, if the Symptoms are violent. All Malt-Liquors are likewiſe deny'd to thoſe Patients, till the Looſeneſs is perfectly ſtopped.

Tinctura Emmenagoga.

℞ *Rad. Helleb. nigr. pul.* ℥ iv.
Super affunde Sp. Vini rectific. ℥ xij. *ſtent in loco calido donec extrahatur Tinctura. Doſis* gut. xxx. *vel* xl. *in Vino albo.*

The Emmenagoge Tincture.

Take Roots of black Hellebore 4 Ounces, and pour upon it 12 Ounces of rectified Spirit of Wine, which let ſtand in a warm Place till the Tincture is well drawn. The Doſe from 30 to 40 Drops.

This

This is a moſt powerful Deobſtruent in menſtrual Obſtructions, and will prevail many Times where Chalybeats are try'd in vain. It is good likewiſe in many nervous Diſorders; but particularly in all thoſe which come under the Appellation of Hypochondriacal Affections; and even in an obſtinate *Mania*, it is frequently found to have Succeſs. In Rheumatiſms likewiſe, and the Gout, it will often give great Relief, it being eaſy, by proper ways of encouraging it, to raiſe by it a very great *Diaphoreſis*, ſo as to breath out much of the offending Humours. When it is directed only for the Green-Sickneſs, it is ſometimes joined with *Elixir Proprietatis*; in which manner it is likewiſe preſcribed againſt Worms; and with an equal Quantity of *Mynſicht*'s *Elixir of Vitriol* it is ſometimes compounded, both in the Green-Sickneſs and the Hypo.

Tinctura Sacra.

℞ *Specier. Hieræ* ℥ ij.
Cochinel. ʒ ſs.
Infunde per ſeptimanam in Vin. alb. gen. ℔ ij.

The Sacred Tincture.

Take 2 Ounces of Hiera Picra, and half a Dram of Cochineel, and infuſe them for a Week in 2 Pints of generous White-wine.

This has twice the Strength of that which is made in the Shops, and is much the better; for after the common way of making with half this Quantity of *Species*, it will hardly operate, unleſs given in ſo large a Doſe as will affect the Head from the Quantity of the Wine. It is given as a Stomachick, and frequently as a Preparatory to Alterative Courſes, becauſe it cleanſes the firſt Paſſages, and enables the Stomach the better to digeſt what it receives; which is as neceſſary to anſwer the Ends of a Medicine deſigned for an Alterative, as it is to that of common Food to make it into good Nouriſhment. This is preſcribed from 2 to 3 Ounces over Night, or early in the Morning, and repeated every other Day for 3 or 4 Times, if not oftner; becauſe its Operation is too mild to expect any Matters of Moment from one or two Doſes.

Tinctura

Tinctura Cardiaca.

℞ *Rad. Tormentil. inciſ.* ℥ iv.
Biſtort. ℥ j ſs.
Angelica ℥ j.
Galang.
Cinnam.
Macis ā ʒ iij.
Opii Thebaic.
Cochinel. ā ʒ j.
Infund. in Sp. Vini ℔ iv. *per dies* xiv. *colat. adde Sach. alb.* ℥ iv. *Miſce.*

The Cordial Tincture.

Take Root of Tormentil ſliced 4 Ounces, Biſtort 1 Ounce and half, Angelico 1 Ounce, Galangal, Cinnamon, and Mace, each 3 Drams, *Theban* Opium, and Cochineel, each 1 Dram; infuſe them in 4 Pints of Spirit of Wine 14 Days; then ſtrain, and add to the clear Liquor 6 Ounces of fine Sugar.

This is both Cordial and Aſtringent, and may be given under any Dejection of Spirits from what Cauſe ſoever; as alſo where the Stomach and Bowels have loſt their due Tone, and occaſion Indigeſtion, Flatulencies, and Looſneſſes. It is generally given a Spoonful or two at a Time, in any convenient Vehicle.

Tinctura Cardiaca & Stomachica.

℞ *Aq. Abſinth. maj. C.* ℥ ij.
Specier. Diambra,
Terra Japonic. *ā* ʒ j.
Digere in B. M.

The Cordial Stomachick Tincture.

Take the greater Compoſition of Wormwood Water 2 Ounces, *Species Diambra*, and *Japan* Earth, each 1 Dram; digeſt in a moderate Warmth.

This is pretty much of the ſame Virtue as the foregoing *Cordial Tincture*, and is directed for the ſame Purpoſes, eſpecially where the Stomach has loſt its Tone by frequent Debauches; for which Purpoſe, if it be allowed in Spaw-water a due Quantity, it is much the more likely to ſucceed. The Doſe is from half a Spoonful to a Spoonful.

Vinum Chalybeat. *Dr.* T—ſon.

℞ *Chalybis ign.* ℥ iv.
Extinguant. in vino albo generoſo ℔ vj.
Rad Zedoar.
Galeng.
Calam. Aromatic.
Nuc. Moſchat. ā ℥ ſs.
Cubeb.
Garyoph. ā ʒ ij.
Miſc. & ſtent in infuſion. calid.

Dr. T——ſon's *Steel Wine.*

Take 4 Ounces of Steel, and when red hot, quench it in 6 Pints of White-wine, to which put Zedoary, Galangals, Calamus Aromaticus, and Nutmegs, of each half an Ounce, Cubebs and Cloves of each 2 Drams, let them infuſe together warm in a cloſe Veſſel.

This was a great Favourite Medicine with the Doctor, in the curing of Lunaticks.

Vinum Scilliticum.

℞ *ZZ.*
Sem. Aniſi,
— Fœniculi dul. ā ℥ ſs.
Rad. Liquirit. ℥ ij.
Scillar. præp. ℥ iv.
Cochinel. ʒ j.
Vin. alb. iv.
Infunde Vaſe clauſo per Septimanam, & cola: cap. ℥ ij. *bis in die.*

Squill-Wine.

Take Ginger, Aniſeeds, and ſweet Fennel Seeds, each half an Ounce, Liquorice Root 2 Ounces, Squills prepared 4 Ounces, Cochineel 1 Dram, White-wine 4 Pints; infuſe them together in a cloſe Veſſel for a Week; then ſtrain it, and take 2 Ounces twice in a Day.

This is a good Diuretick, and an admirable Medicine in all Diſorders from Obſtructions of the Breaſt; and indeed there is hardly any one Thing of greater Efficacy in Aſthma's: and in Dropſies it will do great Service, by inciding and breaking away by Urine the pituitous and ſlimy Humours which ſtuff the whole Habit.

Unguentum ad Carbunculos.

℞ *Ung. Baſil.* ℥ ſs.
Tereb. Venet. ʒ ij.
Theriac. Andr. ʒ j.
Sapon. Com. parum m. f. Ung.

An Ointment for Carbuncles.

Take Baſilicon half an Ounce, *Venice* Turpentine 2 Drams, *Venice* Treacle 1 Dram, and with a little Crown Soap make into an Ointment.

This proves a Digeſtive in Carbuncles, and the moſt malignant Ulcers, when other Medicines fail.

Unguentum ad Scabiem.

℞ *Ceruſ.* ℔ ſs.
Litharg. Aur. ℥ ij.
Alum. uſt. ℥ j ſs.
Merc. Sublim. ℥ j ſs.
Sev. Porcin. ℔ ij.
Terebinth. Venet. ℔ ſs.
M. f. Unguent.

Ointment for the Itch.

Take of Ceruſe half a Pound, Litharge of Gold two Ounces, burnt Alum 1 Ounce and half, Mercury Sublimate 1 Ounce and half, *Venice* Turpentine half a Pound, Lard 2 Pound, and make into an Ointment.

This cures the moſt obſtinate Itch, and all Sorts of Scabs or cuticular Eruptions of the Body.

Unguentum Emolliens.

℞ *Unguent. Althææ* ℥ iv.
Ol. Terebinth. ℥ j.
Miſce.

The Emollient Ointment.

Take Ointment of Marſh-mallows 4 Ounces, and Oil of Turpentine 1 Ounce, which mix together.

This is directed to be rubb'd in upon any bruiſed Part, or that is indurated by obſtructed Humours; becauſe it attenuates and warms the ſtagnant Matter, and helps to breath it out, either thro' the Pores of the Skin, or renders it fit to be taken up again by the circulating Blood, and diſcharged elſewhere.

Unguentum

Unguentum Tetrapharmacum.

℞ *Pici* Burgund. ℔ ſs.
Ceræ flavæ ℔ j.
Thuris ℥ j.
Ol. Oliv. ℔ j.
Miſce f. Unguent. S. A.

Ointment of Four Things.

Take *Burgundy* Pitch half a Pound, yellow Wax 1 Pound, Frankincenſe 1 Ounce, Oil of Olives 1 Pint; melt them together into an Unguent.

This is uſed as a moderate Digeſtive.

Unguentum Nigrum.

℞ *Piſſelæi* Indic. ℥ iv.
Colophon. ℥ vj.
Ceræ flavæ ℔ ſs.
Ol. Lin. ℥ iv.
Miſce.

The Black Ointment.

Take *Barbadoes* Tar 4 Ounces, Reſin 6 Ounces, Yellow Wax half a Pound, and Linſeed Oil 4 Ounces; and melt into an Unguent.

This is alſo ordered as a Digeſtive, eſpecially in an ulcerated Herpes.

Unguent. Epuloticum.

℞. *Pulv. Lapid. Calamin.*
Ceræ flavæ, ã ℥ iv.
Ol. Olivar. ℥ vj.
Miſce.

The Epulotick Ointment.

Take Calamine, and Yellow Wax, each 4 Ounces, Oil of Olives 6 Ounces; and mix together into an Unguent.

This is cooling and drying, and order'd in a Herpes, and tetterous Ouzings of a ſharp *Serum* thro' the Skin. But in many Caſes ſuch Things are to be uſed with great Caution, becauſe they endanger ſometimes Mortification, by cooling the Part too much.

Unguent.

Unguent. ſeu Ceratum de Lapid Calaminar. Dr. Turner.

℞ *Butyr. recent. menſe* Maii *collect. & ſine Sale prap.*
Cera citrin. optime deſacat ā ℔ iij ſs.
Ol. Oliv. recent. & puriſſ. ℔ iv.
Lapid. Calaminar. ſelect. & ſubtiliſſim. triti & cribrati ℔ ij. ℥ xij.

Liqueſcant cera & Butyr in vaſculo proprio ſuper ignem lentum una cum oleo & liqueſacta colentur, & per pannum cannabinum in vas alterum ſtatim inſperge pulverem gratatim continuo agitando mixturam e fundo vaſis donec frigeſcere incipiat, & pulvis pra pondere ſuo non amplius ſubſidere poſſit.

The Calamine Unguent, or Cerate.

Take *May* Butter unſalted, and white Wax, of each 3 Pounds and an half, Oil of Olives 4 Pounds, Calamine cleanſed and levigated 12 Ounces; melt the Butter and Wax with the Oil, and ſtir in the Calamine till it is too hard to let it ſettle.

The Author highly extols this, and performs Things incredible, it being the only *Tetraphamarcum* for Burns, (eſpecially

if melted down with *Ung. Sambuc.*) and Scalds, which may be us'd from the Beginning to the End.

It is Anodyne, digeſts, incarns, and cicatrizes to Admiration; in a Word, in all cutaneous Excoriations, Bliſters, Frettings, Scaldings, there is none like it, it being far beyond *Lucatellus*'s Balſam, *&c.* For more of its Vertues, I refer you to the Author, in his Treatiſe *de morbis cutaneis*.

Unguent. Viride.

℞ *Ærug. Æris* ℥ ſs.
Unguent. Ægyptiaci ℥ ij.
Unguent. Sambuc. ℥ iv.
Colophoniæ ℥ ij.
Ol. Spicæ ℥ j.
Miſce S. A.

The Green Ointment.

Take Verdigreaſe half an Ounce, *Ung. Ægyptiacum* 2 Ounces, Ointment of Elder 4 Ounces, Reſin 6 Ounces, Oil of Spike 1 Ounce; mix together into an Ointment.

This

This is a warm Digeſtive, and a good Detergent, and is uſed therefore to cleanſe old foul Ulcers, and wear away fungous Fleſh from green Wounds, eſpecially if *Præcip. rubr.* be mixt with it.

Unguent. Paralyticum.

℞ *Axungiæ Porcin.*
Ol. Lauri, ā ℥ ij.
Ol. Vitrioli ℥ j.
Miſce.

The Palſy Ointment.

Take Hogs-Lard, and Oil of Bays, each 2 Ounces, Oil of Vitriol 1 Ounce, and mix together into an Unguent.

This is very ſharp, inſomuch as ſometimes to veſicate the Part it is rubbed into, which are ſoon healed with the *Ung. Epuloticum.* It is uſed to paralytick and numbed Limbs, which it helps to reſtore to their due Senſe and Feeling, and is of good Uſe in a Sciatica.

Unguentum Cæruleum vel Mercuriale.

℞ *Mercur. viv.* ℥ iv.
Tereb. Ven. *opt.* ℥ ij.
Miſce exquiſite dein. add. Axung. Porc. tepefact. ℔ j. *f. Ung.*

The Blue or Mercurial Ointment.

Take Quickſilver 4 Ounces, the beſt *Venice* Turpentine 2 Ounces; mix them well together, then adding 1 Pound of Hogs-Lard melted, make up into an Unguent.

This is the ſame that is in the *London Diſpenſatory*, and is uſed to raiſe a Salivation by Unction. The Quantity generally made Uſe of is 4 Ounces, divided into 4 equal Parts: One of which is to be rubbed into the Hands, Arms, Legs, and Thighs, every Night over a good Fire; then the Patient muſt lie between the Blankets and ſweat, drinking burnt Wine. Sometimes three or 4 Unctions will raiſe a Spitting, and ſometimes leſs, though in ſome Conſtitutions half a Pound of this Medicine, nay a Pound has been rub'd in, and yet no Salivation has been rais'd: Of ſo great a Quantity as this *Wiſeman* gives you two or three Inſtances; and tho' the Perſons did not ſpit, yet they were cur'd by it. And it is very proper if the

the Perſon has any Ulcers to dreſs them with the ſame Ointment, which corrects them, and keeps the Salivation up: If whilſt you are anointing, the Perſon ſhould be thrown into a Dyſentery (which is common) or be troubled with a Teneſmus, violent Gripes, Vomitings, *&c.* deſiſt from anointing, and give the Glyſter mentioned here, *pag.* 69. and a Grain or two of *Laudan Londinenſ.* or, which is as good, the *Mixtura Cardiaca,* ſo by this Means and drinking of Broths, theſe Symptoms will abate; and it's obſerv'd, that if the Spitting does not riſe kindly, that an Emetick of 7 or 8 Grains of *Turpeth Mineral* will often encourage it; and ſometimes the Body being over-coſtive, will prevent its riſing, in which Caſe a gentle laxative will promote it.

Unguentum Pſoricum.

℞ *Axungiæ Porcinæ* ℔ iv.
Flor. Sulphuris,
Sulphur. Vivi, ā ℔ ſs.
Caryophyl. Pulv. ℥ iv.
Miſce.

Ointment

Ointment for the Itch.

Take Hogs-Lard 4 Pound, Flowers of Sulphur, and Sulphur Vive, each half a Pound, Cloves powder'd 4 Ounces; mix all together into an Ointment.

This is the common Ointment in the Itch, and all cutaneous Foulneſſes. It hardly ever fails of anſwering its End, if continued long enough, by anointing every Night the Parts which break out, and wearing the ſame Linen all the Time. Two or three Weeks is as little a Time as can be depended upon; but it makes the Patient ſmell very ſtrong of it; it would not be amiſs, while you uſe this Ointment, to drink the *Decoctum Pſoricum*.

Unguent.

Unguent. Martiatum.

℞ *Fol. Rutæ,*
——*Marjoran.*
——*Roriſmar.*
——*Thymi,*
——*Tanacet.*
——*Lauri,* ā *q. ſ.*
Concinde, & miſce, deinde
℞ *Axungiæ Porc.* ℔ xij. *liquefactæ adde Herbas præſcriptas quantum infarcire potes coq. ad ſiccitatem; tum fortiter cola, & adde Herbas recentes q. ſ. coq. iterum, & cola, & colat. adde*
Ol. Terebinth. ℔ j ſs.
Ceræ flavæ ℥ xij.
Miſce S. A.

The Soldiers Ointment.

Take Rue, Marjoram, Roſemary, Thyme, Mint, Tancey, and Bays, each a ſufficient Quantity; cut them ſmall, and mix together: then melt 10 Pound of Hogs-Lard, and put in as many as poſſible of thoſe Herbs, and boil till they become criſp; then preſs them out hard, and to the ſtrained Ointment add freſh Herbs, and boil and ſtrain as before; then put to it 1 Pound and half of Oil of Turpentine, and 12 Ounces of Yellow Wax; which melt together for an Ointment.

This

This pretty much differs from the Medicine under the ſame Title in the *College Diſpenſatory*. This mixt with *Ol. Petrol. Ol. Spicæ*, or *Ol. Terebinth*, is excellent for Aches and Pains proceeding from Cold.

Unguent. Sambuci.

℞ *Fol. Virid. Sambuci,*
—— *Semperviv.* ā P ij.
Cort. inter Sambuci P j.
Miſce & coq. quantum potes in Axungiæ Porc. ℔ x. *ad ſiccitatem, deinde cola fortiter & repet. iterum cum Herbis recentibus, colat. adde Ceræ flavæ* ℔ x.
Miſce.

The Elder Ointment.

Take Green Elder Leaves, and Houſeleek, each 2 Parts, and of the inward Bark of Elder 1 Part; mix them together, and boil as much as poſſible in 10 Pound of Hogs-lard to a Criſpneſs; then preſs it out hard, and boil a freſher Quantity in the ſame Lard, and preſs out again; to the laſt putting 10 Pound of Yellow Wax.

This is a good Cooler and Anodyne, and directed in Inflammations, and eryſipelatous Tumours; this, tho' more ſimple, is fully as effectual as the *Ung. Populneum*, but it is to be uſed with Caution, for the Reaſons given under the Epulotick Ointment.

Unguent.

Unguent. ad Lepram.

℞ *Unguenti Pſorici* ℔ j.
Ol. Sulphuris ℥ j.
Miſce.

The Leproſie Ointment.

Take of the Itch Ointment 1 Pound, and 1 Ounce of Oil of Sulphur, and mix them together.

This is very ſharp, and will ſcour off thoſe ſordid Incruſtations which deform the Skin in a Leproſie: but it is not to be depended upon for a Cure by it ſelf.

Unguent. Opthalmicum.

℞ *Tutiæ præp.* ℥ j ſs.
Butyr. Maial. ℥ j.
Ærid. virid. gr. viij.
Camph. ʒ ſs.
M. f. ung.

An Ointment for the Eyes.

Take prepared Tutty 1 Ounce and half, *May* Butter 1 Ounce, Verdigreaſe 8 Grains, Camphire half a Dram, and mix together.

To be uſed every Night going to Bed, or oftner if Occaſion be.

Unguent. Præcip. alb.

℞ *Ung. Pomat.* ℔ j.
Præcipt. alb. ℥ ij.
Miſce.

The White Precipitate Ointment.

Take Pomatum 1 Pound, and white Precipitate 2 Ounces, and mix them together into an Ointment.

This is likewiſe directed for the Itch and Leproſie, and all ſuch obſtinate Deformities of the Skin, and chiefly to the more nice Patients; but it is hardly ſo certain as the common Itch Ointments, and is not ſo ſafe by much. It is ſometimes liable to raiſe a Salivation where it is not expected.

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Fevers malignant. Julap. Camphorat.
Flatulencies. Tinct. cardiac; Tinct. card. & ſtomat.
Fluxes of the Belly. Bol. ad diarrh; Confect. Fracoſt; Decoct. alb; Elect. aſtring; Pil. ſtipt; Pulv. ad diarrh; Pulv. aſtring. in diarrh; Tinct. cardiac.

Ganglion. Empl. ad Ganglion.
Gargles. Gargaris com. & emoll.
Gonorrhœa. Elect. nephretic; Elect. Tereb; Pil. ad Gonorrh.

Gout. Tinct. Emmenagog.
Gravel. Elect. acid; Elect. nephritic; Enema tereb; Pil. diuretic; Pulv. diuretic.
Gripes in a Salivation. Aq. Theriacal; Mixt. cardiac. anodyn; Ung. cærul.

Hardneſs in a Part. Ung. emolliens
Herpes. Pulv. Æthiop; Ung. nigr; Ung. eupolotic.
Hip-Gout. Cataplaſm. Iſchiad; Ung. Paralytic.
Hypocondriac Affections. Alcohol chalyb; Elect. chalyb; Pil. ecphratic; Pil. hyſteric.
Hyſterick Paſſion. Julap. camphorat; Julap. hyſteric; Pil. hyſteric; Tinct. Caſſumm.

Jaundice. Decoct. Ict; Elect. acid; Pil. diuret; Pil. Icteric.
Indigeſtion. Tinct. cardiac; Tinct. card. & ſtomat.
Inflammations. Cataplaſm. pro Inflam.
Itch. Aq. liberans; Decoct. Pſoric; Elect. ſcorbut; Pulv. Æthiop; Ung. ad ſcabiem; Ung. Pſoric; Ung. Præcipit. alb.

Kid-

Kidneys weak. Empl. lumbare.

Leproſie. Aq. ad ſtrumas; Bol. emetic. cum Mercur; Pulv. Æthiop; Ung. ad Lepram; Ung. Præcipit. alb.
Lungs, Diſeaſes of. Decoct. Traumat; Decoct. Pectoral; Elect. Balſ; Vin. ſcillit.

Mania. Hauſt. emetic; Tinct. emmenag; Vin. chalyb.
Meaſles. Decoct. alb.

Obſtructions menſtrual. Alcohol. chalyb. Elect. chalyb; Tinct. emmenagog.
Opiates. Laudan. liquid; Opium purum; Pil. anodyn.

Pains. Empl. laterale; Ung. martiat.
Palſies. Elect. diaſinap; Infuſ. paralyt: Ung. paralyt.
Peripneumony. Infuſ. pleuretic.
Perſpiration to promote. Aq. ad ſtrumas.
Piles. Balſ. ſulph. tereb; Elect. hæmorrh; Enema hæmorrh; Pulv. hæmorrh.

Pleu-

Pleuriſie. Infuſ. pleuretic; Linct. pectorale.

Rheumatiſm. Infuſ. paralytic; Tinct. emmenagog.

Salivation to raiſe. Bol. cum calomel; Pil. mercur; Pulv. antiſyph; Ung. cærul.
Scrophulas. Aq. ad ſtrumas; Empl. mercurial; Infuſ. milleped.
Scurvy. Cereviſ. hydrop; Decoct. icteric; Decoct. ſcorb; Decoct. pſoric; Elect. ſcorbut; Infuſ. milleped.
Small-Pox. Decoct. alb.
Stiches. Empl. laterale.

Teneſmus. Mixt. Cardiac. anodyn.
Throat ſore. Pulv. ſynanch.
Tumours. Empl. ad gland; Empl. mercurial.

Venereal Affections. Aq. liberans; Aq. limacum; Aq. ad ſtrumas; Bol. emet. cum Mercur; Decoct. dieter; Empl. mercur; Pil. mercurial; Pulv. antiſyphil; Ung. cærul.

Ulcer-

Ulcers old. Bol. emet. cum Mercur; Pil. cinnab; Ung. viride.

Ulcers with callous Lips. Empl. mercur.

Ulcerations internal. Balſ. Lucatel; Balſ. ſulph. tereb; Elect. balſamic.

Vomitings. Hauſt. ſtomatic; Mixt. antiemetic.

Urine bloody. Aq. Hæmoptoic.

Urine Heat of. Bol. camphorat.

Whites. Decoct. ad fluor. alb; Empl. lumb.

Wind in the Bowels. Elect. carminativ.

Worms. Pulv. ad vermes.

Wounds contuſed and lacerated. Balſ. viride.

Wounds of the Nerves and Tendons. Balſ. ſueph. terebin.

